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LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 56 deg.; minimum, 52 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 6 miles; 5 p.m., east, velocity 6 miles. At midnight the temperature was 57 deg.; drizzling.

TODAY: At 8 a.m. the temperature was 54 deg.; drizzling.

Rainfall for storm, .94 of an inch; season, 2.58 inches.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Clearing; light east winds, changing to westerly.

San Francisco and vicinity: Clearing, westerly winds.

[The complete Weather Report, including Comparative Temperatures, will be found on page 8.]

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Russians Seize Newchwang—Troops Move Rapidly to the Yalu River—Japanese Viceroy for the Hermit Kingdom—Chinese Arming.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Rumors are thick this (Wednesday) morning that Japanese and Russian land forces are engaged in fierce battle in Korea. No confirmation as yet has arrived.

GREAT LAND FIGHT EXPECTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald publishes the following from its correspondent at Chefoo: "Russian reinforcements are moving rapidly to the Yalu, where a great land fight is expected soon. The Russian forces stationed near Newchwang are buying all available provisions for the garrison at Port Arthur."

RUSSIANS SEIZE NEWCHWANG.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald this morning publishes the following from its correspondent:

TIEN-TSIN, Feb. 16.—Russia has seized Newchwang. Fifteen hundred infantry entered the native city today with bands playing and banners flying. Panic and confusion prevails among the native population.

RESPECTIVE LOSSES OF SHIPS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ROME, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It was officially admitted at the Japanese legation here this evening that Japan had lost four warships and two merchant steamers. Japanese officials say that Russia's losses to date are sixteen warships and twenty merchantmen.

KOREA OPEN TO JAPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEOUL, Feb. 16.—The Korean government has granted Japan the right to traverse the country. It is reported that Japanese warships have trapped three Russian ships at Yongampho. No details regarding the result of this naval exploit have been received.

EXCHANGED SHOTS IN PECHILI.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald this morning publishes the following from its correspondent:

CHEFOO, Tuesday (3:10 p.m. Eastern time.) The British steamer Wenchow, detained at Port Arthur since the opening of hostilities, arrived here today full of Japanese refugees, and reports the Russian fleet moving in the direction of Korea. A trifling engagement took place in the Gulf of Pechili between rival torpedo boats, but no damage was done, it being merely an exchange of shots.

RUSSIAN SOLDIERS FROZEN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BERLIN, Feb. 16.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Tagliche Rundschau says that 600 Russian soldiers have been frozen to death while marching across Lake Baikal, Eastern Siberia. The correspondent adds that the temporary railroad across the lake is not yet completed, that a large detachment of troops was sent on a twenty-two-mile march over the ice-covered lake, and that it is presumed part of these troops lost their way in a snowstorm and perished.

VICEROY FOR KOREA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald this morning publishes from its correspondent the following dispatch delayed in transmission:

SEOUL, Feb. 12, 6:40 p.m.—The Korean Emperor sent liberal presents today to the Japanese troops at Seoul and other points on the peninsula. This marks a decided change of policy within the last week. The Japanese Minister here has informed the Emperor of Korea that the Japanese government will appoint a member of the Japanese imperial house as Viceroy, and that he will come to Seoul merely as an adviser to the Korean government. The Emperor has been assured that there is no cause for alarm and that the appointment is only temporary.

SIEZED RUSSIA'S COAL.

The Japanese have seized Russia's coal depot at Chemulpo, where considerable coal is stored. The Japanese authorities have now returned the Korean telegraph offices to Korean officials. The Japanese have chartered the only Korean commercial steamers, five in number, for use as colliers, and likewise the only existing Korean warship, the Yang Mu, for the same purpose.

JAPAN HURRYING OPERATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald this morning publishes the following from its correspondent:

ST. PETERSBURG, Tuesday.—It has been decided, in view of the turn naval events have taken, to send either Admirals Scrydloff or Roshentwenski to the Far East. It is stated that the Grand Dukes Boris and Andrew, sons of the Grand Duke Vladimir, have applied to go to the seat of war.

RUMORS OF LANDINGS.

Today has been one of absence of actual news, but disquieting rumors abound of numerous Japanese landings and supposed important damage to Tungari bridge. However, as only official telegrams are allowed to pass, it is necessary to take the news reported here with the utmost suspicion. The general idea prevails that Japan is rapidly hurrying up land operations. All believe that we are on the eve of big events. The fifth million of new bank notes has been issued against the gold reserve. This is stated to be the consequence of the necessity of transferring large sums to the East.

The loss of the Russian American-built cruiser Variag is a particularly severe one, from the fact that she had aboard no less than 400 Whitehead torpedoes, that is to say, two-thirds of the entire stock aboard, which may in part account for the terrible crash with which she blew up.

MISGIVINGS ABOUT CHINA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald this morning publishes the following from its correspondent:

ST. PETERSBURG, Tuesday—At the Foreign Office here, very serious misgivings regarding the attitude of China are being felt, following upon the undoubted treachery shown by the cutting of the wires connecting Vladivostok with Port Arthur and constant attacks upon the line of the Manchurian Railway by Honhous, who are well known to be under the direction of the Chinese.

The American note continues to excite anger here. I have already heard expressions uttered in high quarters to

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WASHINGTON.

NO MONEY FOR BUILDING.

Urgency Deficiency Bill Not Helping Los Angeles.

Suggestion that Business Men Raise Needed Funds.

Retirement of Admiral Cotton—Forbes Accepts.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Los Angeles public building got another setback today, when the House of Representatives passed the Urgent Deficiency Bill without the Los Angeles item in it. Now there is nothing to do but to go to the House Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds and ask it to report to the House a bill that will allow the Secretary of the Treasury to pay the condemnation award on the land that is needed for the site. Considering that such a bill need not necessarily carry a new appropriation, it would, in ordinary times, be easy enough to get a favorable report on it from the committee, but this year word has been given out by the House leaders that absolutely no legislation looking toward work on new public buildings is to be passed.

If a bill were to be reported for Los Angeles, there would be an immediate fuss in the House, and other cities would come forward demanding legislation as the price for allowing this bill to go through. Although no city has any such claims as has Los Angeles for instant action, it is mighty doubtful if action can be got.

It was suggested here today that perhaps Los Angeles business men, through their Chamber of Commerce, might find some way to raise the $19,000 that is needed to pay for sites. If that could be done, work could go on as soon as plans could be finished, whereas, as things stand in Washington now, it will be two years at the very earliest before work can be started, as the project must wait for Congressional action. If this money were to be raised in Los Angeles, it would not be lost to those subscribing it. There would be very excellent chances that at some future day Congress would pass a relief bill, restoring the money so subscribed to the original subscribers. It is estimated that such action right now would save the government about $50,000 in the price of land.

This fact and the fact that the government really needs a building at Los Angeles, would make the prospect of a bill for the money very hopeful.

ITEMS AGREED TO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The Senate provision for submarine cable lines to Alaska was stricken out, but the Senate provision to survey the boundaries of Yellowstone National Park was accepted. The bill, as finally agreed upon, carries a total appropriation of $16,130,111, being an increase of $5,103,916 over the amount carried by the measure as it passed the House. The principal item of increase in the bill by the Senate is the $4,600,000 loan to the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company, to which the House concurred before the conference was asked for.

THE CONGRESS.

REGULAR SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—SENATE.—Formal announcement of the death of Senator Hanna was made in the Senate today, immediately after the opening prayer. The duty of making the official statement of the Senator's death fell to Mr. Foraker of Ohio, Mr. Hanna's colleague. Most of the late Senator's colleagues were in their seats before the Senate was called to order, and their faces bore traces of the sorrow which all felt. The galleries, too, were crowded.

The opening prayer was delivered by the Senate chaplain, Dr. Edward Everett Hale.

On motion of Mr. Aldrich, the formality of reading the journal of the preceding day was omitted, and Mr. Foraker was recognized to make his announcement. He said:

"Mr. President: I have a painful duty to perform. It is that of making formal announcement of the death of my colleague, Marcus A. Hanna.

"He is mourned by all his countrymen, by his political associates—not alone because he was their great organizing leader, who repeatedly led them to victory, but also, and more especially, because he had gained their affections and reigned in their hearts as a favorite—by his political opponents, because they are chivalrous and generous enough to experience sorrow when a brave man falls, though he may be of the opposition, and because they recognize in him a bold and fearless foeman, who commanded their respect and excited their admiration.

"It is unnecessary to speak in this presence of the great loss his death has occasioned to his party, his State and the nation. All know it better than any language can express it.

"Mr. President, this is not the time for extended eulogy. Later, I shall ask the Senate to set apart a day when all his colleagues can join with me in paying fitting tribute to his life, character and public services. For the present, I content myself with offering the following resolutions, for which I ask present consideration."

The resolutions offered by Mr. Foraker were as follows:

"Resolved, that the Senate has heard with profound sorrow of the death of the Hon. Marcus A. Hanna, late a Senator from the State of Ohio.

"Resolved, that a committee of twenty-five Senators, of whom the president pro tem. shall be one, shall be appointed by the presiding officer for superintending the funeral of Mr. Hanna, which shall take place in the Senate chamber at 12 o'clock on Wednesday, February 17, and that the Senate will attend the same.

"Resolved, that as a further mark of respect, his remains be removed from Washington to Cleveland, O., for burial, in charge of the sergeant-at-arms, attended by the committee, who shall have full power to carry these resolutions into effect, and that the necessary expenses in connection therewith be paid out of the contingent fund of the Senate.

"Resolved, that the secretary communicate these proceedings to the House of Representatives and invite the House of Representatives to attend the funeral in the Senate chamber and to appoint a committee to act with the committee from the Senate.

"Resolved, that invitations be extended to the President of the United States and members of his Cabinet, the Chief Justice and Associate Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States, the diplomatic corps, the Secretary of State, the admiral of the navy, and the lieutenant-general of the army to attend the services in the Senate chamber."

The committee provided for in the resolutions was appointed by the chair as follows: Senators Foraker, Allison, Aldrich, Hale, Platt of Connecticut, Frye, Spooner, Perkins, Wetmore, Hansbrough, Warren, Fairbanks, Depew, Kean, Scott, Beveridge, Alger, Kittridge, Gorman, Cockrell, Teller, Bacon, Martin, Blackburn and McEnery.

The resolutions were adopted, and immediately thereafter, on motion of Mr. Foraker, as a further mark of respect, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE—An unusually large attendance of members of the House of Representatives were in their seats today on the convening of that body. The usual hum of voices was noticeably subdued, as the topic of conversation related almost exclusively to the death of Senator Hanna.

Rev. Dr. Couden, in his opening prayer, referred feelingly to the death of Senator Hanna.

Mr. Boynynge of Colorado, who was seated yesterday in place of Mr. Shafroth, was today sworn in.

Mr. Hemenway of Indiana, chairman of the House Committee on Appropriations, reported the Urgency Deficiency Bill and asked unanimous consent for its immediate consideration.

Mr. Williams of Mississippi, the minority leader, said that in view of the discussion had on the amendments and further in view of the circumstances surrounding the day he would offer no objections. The conference report was adopted without debate or division.

The resolutions adopted by the Senate, informing the House of the provisions by the Senate for doing honor to the late Senator Hanna, together with the personnel of the committee appointed on the part of the Senate, were then announced.

Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio, after securing unanimous consent that when the House adjourned it be to meet at 11:40 a.m. tomorrow, then offered resolutions, which were unanimously adopted, accepting the invitation of the Senate to attend the funeral services of the late Hon. Marcus A. Hanna, to be held in the Senate chamber tomorrow noon, and that the Speaker of the House appoint a committee of twenty-five members to act in conjunction with the committee of the Senate to make the necessary arrangements and accompany the remains to the place of burial.

Speaker Cannon appointed the following members of the House as a committee to represent that body during the funeral of Senator Hanna: The entire Ohio delegation, and Representatives Burkett, Nebraska; Lucking, Michigan; Dalzell, Pennsylvania; Watson, Indiana; Burke, South Dakota; Currier, New Hampshire; Sherman, New York; Rodenburg, Illinois; McCleary, Minnesota; Wiley, Alabama.

The resolution of Mr. Grosvenor of Ohio, that, as a further mark of respect, the House adjourn out of respect to the late Senator Hanna, was unanimously adopted.

W. C. FORBES ACCEPTS.

PHILIPPINE COMMISSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—It was announced after the Cabinet meeting that W. Cameron Forbes of Boston had accepted the office of Philippine commissioner, vacated by the resignation of Gov. Taft and the promotion to the governorship of Gen. Luke E. Wright.

THIS IS W. CAMERON FORBES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BOSTON, Feb. 16.—W. Cameron Forbes of this city, whose acceptance of the office of United States Commissioner of the Philippine Islands, was announced from Washington today, is a member of a well-known Boston family and a prominent lawyer. He is about 40 years of age, and is a graduate of Harvard University, class of '92. At Harvard he won fame as a football player and subsequently was head coach of the 'varsity eleven for two seasons. Mr. Forbes has had wide experience in important financial undertakings and has been active in public works, for a number of years. He expects to leave for Manila about March 15.

BREACH BY REBELS.

CASE AGAINST DOMINICANS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The rebels in Santo Domingo have committed another breach of international law, which, added to those preceding, are making up a formidable case that may justify the United States government in intervening to restore order and protect the property in the distracted island. Today Minister Powell reported to the State Department that he received belated advices from Jean Villaine, the Vice-Consular agent at Samana, dated February 9, to this effect: "Insurgents entered our consulate at Samana with armed force and took two refugees out."

The State Department promptly communicated this information to the Navy Department with a request that proper action be taken by the naval authorities to protect the United States consulate. This was promptly transmitted to Admiral Wise, and it is the belief that he will not only protect the consulate, but will demand the punishment of the perpetrators of this outrage, and if the provisional government is not able to do this, he will employ the United States naval force to chastise the insurgents.

ADMIRAL COTTON RETIRES.

HIS WIFE'S HEALTH POOR.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Announcement was made at the Navy Department of the retirement at his own request of Rear-Admiral Charles S. Cotton, commander-in-chief of the European station. Admiral Cotton's request to be retired was because of the continued ill health of his wife.

It is thought he hauled down his flag from the Brooklyn today at Genoa. He will probably be succeeded by Rear-Admiral Chadwick.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Withdrawal of Lands.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The General Land Office today ordered the temporary withdrawal of 130,009 acres of land in the San Francisco land district, pending an investigation of the feasibility of the establishment of the proposed Monterey forest reserve.

Europe Recognizes Panama.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Viscount de Alte has notified Minister Bunau-Varilla of the recognition by Portugal of the republic of Panama. All the European governments having diplomatic representatives at Washington, with the exception of Turkey and Spain, now have extended recognition to the Panama government.

Panama's Constitution Adopted.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Minister Bunau-Varilla, the Minister from Panama, has received word from the Minister of Foreign Affairs that the Constitution adopted by the convention called for that purpose was officially promulgated today. It becomes the organic law of the republic of Panama.

WAR NEWS AFTER MIDNIGHT.

YESTERDAY'S DEVELOPMENTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald this morning publishes the following summary of its war news:

Now it is gravely asserted that the Japanese strategists intend to land 100,000 men on the coasts of Liao Tung, between the Yalu and Port Arthur.

There are further intimations from Port Arthur that the Russian fleet is ready for an offensive movement.

A skirmish between torpedo boats in the Gulf of Pe-chi-li is reported.

The Japanese fleet is said to have established a base on Elliot Island, near Port Arthur.

The Russians have heavily reinforced Kinchow and Newchwang.

Port Arthur seems to have been panic stricken during the bombardment, but is again tranquil.

There were four hundred torpedoes on the Variag, two-thirds of Russia's entire store in those waters.

Six hundred Russian soldiers are said to have perished in crossing Lake Baikal.

The two cruisers purchased by Japan from Italy have reached Yokohama.

Russia's Minister to Korea has left the country by order of the Japanese. The latter are in full control of the peninsula.

ANOTHER TORPEDO ATTACK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOKIO, Feb. 16. [By Asiatic Cable.] A report has just reached here that the Japanese torpedo fleet reattacked the Russian fleet at Port Arthur February 14, and it is thought that one Russian warship was damaged.

ASTONISHING STATEMENTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 17. According to special dispatches published here this morning from Tokio, the Russian squadron has returned to Vladivostok. The Tokio correspondent of the Daily Mail says in a dispatch that two Russian warships appeared off Oki Island, in the southern part of the Japan Sea Sunday.

The correspondent of the Daily Express at Chemulpo makes the astonishing statement that Japan has already landed 120,000 troops in Korea, 80,000 of whom are extended along the fighting front south of the Yalu River.

No war news of importance appears in the London newspapers this morning, but the press attaches the greatest significance to the departure of Viceroy Alexieff from Port Arthur, and comments upon the sudden throwing of Russian troops into Newchwang as indicating Russian apprehensions that Port Arthur is in danger, and that the Japanese attack may not after all be made where it is expected, on the Yalu. All the reports tend to confirm the impression that Russia has little or nothing to expect from sea operations...

The Tokio correspondent of the Daily Chronicle cables that it is said officially that several thousand Russian troops have reached Antung, and that it is rumored that 20,000 Russians have arrived at Ping Yang, on the Tatong River, in Central Korea.

The Chronicle, however, regards this rumor as improbable, unless the invasion of Korea preceded the outbreak of hostilities.

AUSTRIA TO MOBILIZE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VIENNA, Feb. 16.—The situation in the Balkans is creating great uneasiness here. The official denial of the rumors of the mobilization of Austrian troops has failed to reassure the public, and it is still asserted that the government intends to mobilize two army corps provisionally for the purpose of guarding the Balkan frontier because of fears that Turkey will provoke Bulgaria into war.

DE ROSEN AT SHANGHAI.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SHANGHAI, Feb. 17.—Baron de Rosen, the late Russian Minister to Japan, has arrived here on the French steamer Yarra. He is staying at the Russian consulate.

SNUB QUILL CLUB.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The intention of the Quill Club to hold a symposium of representatives of Russia and Japan at a dinner of the club tonight at the Manhattan Hotel, was frustrated by the absence of the Russian guests. They were Count Lodyzensky, the Russian Consul-General in this city; Count Paul Tiesenhausen and Baron Schilling. It was said that they were absent under orders from Count Cassini, the Russian Ambassador at Washington. S. Uchida, the Japanese Consul-General in this city, was present. It was declared after the dinner that the Russians had stayed away on account of the feeling in Russia that this country is hostile to its interests in the present difficulty.

FIFTEEN THOUSAND EMBARKING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SHANGHAI, Feb 17.—The following telegram has been received from Nagasaki, under date of February 15: "Fifteen thousand troops are embarking on transports today. Their horses are in poor condition. Two damaged warships are here, awaiting to go to drydock."

GREAT GRAIN RATE WAR THREATENED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—The Tribune today says:

"The great rate war in which the western roads are engaged threatens to involve all the lines between the Missouri River and the Atlantic seaboard. The Burlington and Chicago and the Alton have just given notice that they will put in effect a rate from Missouri River points to Baltimore, Newport News and Norfolk of 15 cents per 100 pounds. This is only 3 cents higher than the rate from Kansas City to the Gulf ports.

"The action was not taken on account of the reduction made by the Great Western and Northwestern roads, but is inconformity with the position they have taken for more than a year, that the differences in the grain rate between the Gulf and South Atlantic ports should not be more than 3 cents for 100 pounds.

"The rate announced by the Burlington and the Alton from Missouri River points to the South Atlantic ports is one cent less than the regular tariff rate of the eastern lines from St. Louis to the seaboard. This cuts out the rate between the Missouri and Mississippi Rivers. It is said by the Burlington officials that under their arrangement with the eastern roads their system gives an arbitrary rate of 5 cents for 100 pounds. This leaves only 10 cents to the eastern lines, or 6 cents less than the regular tariff rate.

THREATENS HARMONY EAST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Harmony of rates in trunk-line territory is threatened, the Buffalo-New York lines opposed to the Buffalo-Philadelphia-New York lines having served notice that the freight rate on lake grain for export will be reduced Wednesday to 3 cents for 100 pounds between Buffalo and New York.

This reduction means an abolition of the differential initiated by the Pennsylvania and the Lehigh Valley in favor of Philadelphia last summer, and is designed to give the port of New York the same privilege heretofore enjoyed by Philadelphia. An effort is being made to confine the fight to the comparatively insignificant item of lake grain for export, but fears are expressed that it may spread to other classes of freight and upset the hitherto harmonious conditions in trunk-line territory.

GOULD EXTENSIONS.

ROCKEFELLER INTERESTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The attempt has been made to create the impression that J. D. Rockefeller is not interested in the Gould extensions in the East, and that his interest is confined to the Missouri Pacific alone. There is no foundation for any such statement, while there is good authority for saying that Rockefeller has a large interest in the eastern extensions of the Gould system. It is understood that this interest is equal to that of Gould's, both in the various syndicates and in the bonds that have been issued, and that either his son, J. D. Rockefeller, Jr., or F. T. Gates, who is his confidential financial representative, has direction of all financial plans connected with these eastern enterprises. It is also understood that any plan to finance them is more likely to originate with the Rockefellers than the Goulds.

While the extensions and purchases of properties in the East are generally spoken of as "Wabash interests," because it was understood that the Wabash company was about to put them through, title to these extensions and the ownership of the properties acquired was lodged in the hands of a syndicate, under control of syndicate managers, who are at liberty to sell them to the Wabash, or to any other interest. The benefits that would accrue to the Wabash company from the acquisition of these eastern properties are estimated at such large figures that it is claimed no other road could afford to pay as high a price for control as the Wabash.

WOMEN "REPEATERS."

Scare in Colorado, Asserts Delegation of Suffragists as it Surround Judicial Congressmen.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The National Women's Suffrage Association was given a hearing by the House Committee on Judiciary today. A delegation numbering over half a hundred women, headed by Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the association, arranged themselves around the committee room and enthusiastically applauded the points made in their behalf, and of a sixteenth amendment to the Constitution by the various speakers whom Mrs. Catt presented.

Members of the committee asked the several women speakers from Colorado as to the reason of Mr. Shafroth's action in resigning his seat in the House, yesterday because of frauds at the polls. Miss Ellis Meredith, who made the first answer to the question, said the fraudulent vote on this occasion was confined to certain Denver precincts. She exonerated the women voters from participation. She said that 55 per cent. of the voters of the State were men and 45 per cent. were women while 42 per cent. of the actual vote was the vote of the women.

"Showing," remarked Representative Littlefield, "that the women vote as frequently as the men."

Mrs. Helen L. Grenfell, State superintendent of schools of Colorado, told of her experience in running for office. She had canvassed the State several times and said she had met with just as much "chivalry" as in her school work or in society. As to the election frauds, Mrs. Grenfell asserted that only one woman "repeater" had been found.

Ex-Gov. Adams gave the committee his hearty indorsement of woman suffrage.

The delegation was given a hearing by the Senate Committee on Woman's Suffrage.

PANAMA'S FIRST CHIEF.

Dr. Manuel Amador Chosen President. Great Preparations Being Made for His Inauguration.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PANAMA, Feb. 16.—[By Central American Cable.] Dr. Manuel Amador was unanimously elected first President of the republic of Panama today. Dr. Pablo Arosemena, Domingo Obaldia and Dr. Carlos Mendoza were elected to fill respectively the positions of first, second and third vice-presidents.

Great perparations for the inauguration of the President are being made, which will take place February 20.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Grand Union, E. H. Landon.

HIT BY THE GREAT FIRE.

BALTIMORE (Md.) Feb. 16.—Application was made today for appointment of receivers for the Baltimore Fire Insurance Company and the Home Fire Insurance Company, both of this city.

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THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—During two days rain has fallen co- over Southern California, re- the apprehensions of farmers growers that their crops this would not prove profitable. The has extended as far south as San when it is still raining, with continuance. About two of Los Angeles. The down- from Point Concepcion and in the great California val-

ental effect of the storm will ed in the rivers of the and sendings to this effect have The storm has been ac- by heavy gales at sea, but shipping has been re- The rain will be of inestimable California.

MUCH INTERRUPTED.
ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
NG, Feb. 16.—The sun shone ing after the fiercest rain- ienced in the northern a long time. The Sacra- was twenty-one feet normal last night, the high- attained for many years. All are running bank full. stage due here last night Lassen county; Weaver- county and Del- Harrison Gulch, Shasta are not yet arrived. Nothing ard of any of them this railroad traffic was also re- by the storm. A land- ide north of Dunsmuir all day yesterday. It had cleared last night, and the passed through, when the the again slid down, cover- and twenty feet deep for 100

ng in reports from points are shouting for help came down-swollen Sacramento a lull last night. He is said Kennett at dusk, and Central spur, farther dust time later.

DROWN AT YREKA.
ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
A, Feb. 16.—The body of Louis, the Portuguese who ed yesterday in Yreka was found today at the mouth Creek. News was received by the drowning of Charles the Klambug Creek yester- and a claim about 300 the Klamath River and he at stream.

RISE IN RIVERS.
STREETS INUNDATED.
ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
Feb. 16.—Continued rain in and Lake counties has rise of all rivers and night the streets of Wil- water, several stores It was impossible to town without hip boots. of the California North- was slide-bound be- and this city and was until a crew was sent

dies was reported to be The passenger train did not leave until 2 afternoon for Willits, as Redwood Creek was the train could not get dies from Willits so a be made. The evening able to reach this city

the whole town was Russian River in this than it has been for four inches of rain The rain has quit is rapidly recede

MAN EASILY.
WAS DEFECTIVE.
ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
O, Feb. 16.—U. G. Web- superintendent of the Yuma, Ariz., who came day to secure a re- the Governor of Cali- return of Charles Mc- to that Territory, and is now speeding to-

escaped out of the prison last evening. Constable Alameda township arrested him from justice. This brought him prisoner and where the train for arrived. When it Sheriff Webber stepped and took McNeal into with him on the train. arrested in Arizona for a The exact method used to was necessary by a de- extradition papers.

BODY EVER FOUND.
DROWNED IN ARIZONA.
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(Ariz.) Feb. 16.—The found in Arizona is by lessees from the in the Gold Road west of Kingman. So ore have been ex- sampled, the returns of more than $10,000 ton. It is estimated ore in sight, although down more than ten

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BY PROVISIONS.
THE BOAT'S PLIGHT.
ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
Feb. 16.—Capt. Mas- steamer Cravio, from arrived today, re- February 2 the Norwe- Capt. Hauger, 134 Eureka, Cal., bound was sighted. The ves- provisions and be- senator in longitude stopped and sent a relief to the Vivax.

DAY, THEN DEATH.
SHOOTS POLICE.
ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
O, Feb. 16.—A. H. John- had drunk himself to the verge of insanity, this afternoon, shot and slightly wounded Policeman Goltz, who was trying to arrest him for petty larceny, and then committed suicide. From a letter to a relative at Atlanta, it developed that the suicide was premeditated and it is thought by the police that his act of resisting the officer was merely to gain notoriety.

ITALIAN BOYS THE OFFENDERS.

CONFESS TO PLACING OBSTRUCTIONS AT LOS BANOS.

Chief Railroad Detective and Assistant Locate Miscreants Who Placed Spike Plugs and Fish Plates in Way of Trains—Examination Today.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LOS BANOS, Feb. 16.—C. C. Crowley, chief railroad detective, and J. A. Mahoney, his assistant, who have been investigating the matter of obstructions placed on the track here recently, have located two offenders in the persons of Jim Mollico and Joe Ferro, Italian boys about 12 years of age. Ferro placed a lot of Anglo plates on the track between here and Volta January 30, and tonight he confessed the act, but denied an evil intent.

Both were concerned in placing spike plugs and fish plates on the track last Sunday, but claim it was done by accident. An examination will be had tomorrow.

CAN FULL OF GOLD.

WORKMEN FIND MUCH MONEY.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OAKLAND, Feb. 16.—A mass of $30 gold pieces pouring from an old, rusty tomato can which had been dislodged from beneath the foundation of a house being raised was the sight that greeted the astonished gaze of three workmen in the employ of Housemover Walter Snell today, while they were at work at a house on Eleventh street owned by John Patcus. The can contained $1500. It is not known who placed it there.

THREE-MASTER A WRECK.

FATE OF THE EMMA UTTER.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VICTORIA (B. C.) Feb. 16.—The three-masted schooner Emma Utter, with 860,000 feet of lumber, from Gray's Harbor to San Francisco, which cleared from Aberdeen, February 7, struck heavily on the bar and commenced leaking. Capt. Hansen and five of the crew abandoned the vessel February 11, she being then water-logged, leaving on board Seaman Henry Byndall. Since that date the vessel has been drifting about the coast dismasted, in a fierce gale, a helpless hulk. She was sighted today drifting on the rocks in Barclay Sound entrance.

Two Indians rescued Byndall and took him to Claquot. The Utter is going to pieces on Leonard Island, and will be a total loss. Nothing can be learned of the fate of Capt. Hansen and his men.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Creditors Accept Terms.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—The creditors of Bolton, De Ruyter & Co. have met and after listening to the report of their committee, which had been investigating the financial condition of the concern, accepted as a basis of settlement the proposition of the firm offering 50 per cent. cash, payable immediately, 25 per cent. cash, payable in thirty days, and the balance of 25 per cent., payable on or before six months, without interest. It is not considered likely that the firm will continue business.

Railroad Verdict Set Aside.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—The verdict rendered last May in favor of the United Railroads in the suit for damages which was brought by Mrs. Eliza Ruppel was set aside today by Judge Hunt, a new trial being granted. Judge Hunt explained, in a written opinion, why he considered that the railroad company was at fault according to the evidence.

Domestic Tries to End All.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Julia Henrietta Lowe, a domestic, shot herself twice today in an attempt to commit suicide on account of sickness and despondency. At first, she said the shots had been fired by a burglar, but when told she was likely to die, admitted she had tried to kill herself.

New Adjutant-General.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Gov. Pardee has appointed Col. J. B. Lauck of Oakland adjutant-general of the State, to succeed Gen. George Stone, term expired. The new official's commission has been signed, and he will formally assume the duties of his office at once.

Dies in Horrible Agony.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Despondent over continued illness, Mrs. Effie Driscoll, wife of Dr. Edward P. Driscoll, swallowed a quantity of carbolic acid today in the presence of her husband. She died two hours later, after suffering horrible agonies, but lived long enough to say she was sorry for what she had done.

Alvinza Hayward's Funeral.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Alvinza Hayward will be buried Thursday from the residence of Charles D. Lane, where he died. The final interment will be on the grounds of his old home at San Mateo.

Sues Society of Long Name.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—John Wadleigh, whose five children were taken from him by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, filed suit for $30,000 damages against the society today. He alleges that the interference of the society in his family affairs was unwarranted and was the result of a conspiracy formed by M. J. White, its secretary. Wadleigh's children were recently restored to him by the Supreme Court.

Dismasted Ship on Rocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—A telegram to the Merchants' Exchange from Victoria, B. C., says that a report from Claquot states that a large dismantled ship is going on the rocks. Tugs have been sent to her assistance.

Schooner Gem Ashore.

TILLAMOOK (Ore.) Feb. 16.—News has reached here that the schooner Gem, which left San Francisco February 3 for this place, has gone ashore on Nehalen beach. A tug was sent to pull her off, but was unable to dislodge her, and she will become a total wreck.

THOUSANDS suffer from a short, hacking cough who might be cured by Piso's Cure. 25c.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Chicago had continued cold and windy weather today; maximum temperature 8; minimum 1. Middle West temperatures: Alpena, 6 below; Bismark, 6; Cairo, 24; Cheyenne, 50; Cincinnati, 12; Cleveland, 2 below; Concordia, 20; Davenport 10; Denver, 50; Des Moines, 12; Detroit, 0; Dodge, 26; Dubuque, 8; Duluth, 4 below; Edmonton, 3; Escanaba, 2 below; Grand Rapids, 0; Green Bay, 2; Helena, 34; Huron, 10; Indianapolis, 18; Kansas City, 18; Lander, 50; Marquette, 4 below; Milwaukee, 0; Minnedosa, 2; Moorhead, 6; North Platte, 20; Omaha, 14; St. Louis, 18; St. Paul, 2; Sault Saint Marie, 6 below; Springfield, Ill., 14; Springfield, Mo., 24; Wichita, 26.

MRS. HOSSACK FREED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DES MOINES (Iowa.) Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Margaret Hossack, once convicted of murdering her husband, was given her freedom at Winterset today, the case being dismissed on motion of the State. Mrs. Hossack is about sixty five years old. Her husband was found murdered three years ago, his skull having been crushed with an axe. It was one of the most noted trials of Iowa.

RADIUM'S MINERAL WATER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ANN ARBOR (Mich.) Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The possibility of using radium to convert ordinary rain and well water into a mineral water, more highly medicinal than any known natural mineral water, has been demonstrated at the University of Michigan by Dr. Rollin H. Stevens. By leaving a sealed radium tube in pure distilled water for twenty-four hours, he produced radio-active water of powerful effects, as his tests immediately proved. Injected into cancers, this water stopped pain in ten minutes.

AMUSED ABOUT ROSE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ANN ARBOR (Mich.) Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] W. R. Rose, the California high school boy who is said by California papers to have been bribed to enter Michigan University, matriculated here Saturday. Manager Baird says the California charges are a canard. The promises alleged to have been made created amusement among Michigan authorities, especially the one that Rose was offered a "lucrative position on the Michigan library staff." Members of this staff make 12 cents an hour and work eight hours a week, making 96 cents a week. Rose has not yet entered this staff. Rose denies that he was in the town of Berkeley, where his statements about Michigan's bribes are alleged to have been made.

INJUNCTION AND STRIKES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] President George G. Greene of the Wisconsin State Bar Association, at the annual meeting tonight, disputed the contention of labor unions that no law existed giving the courts the right to issue injunctions to prevent strikes. He said the right of courts to issue injunctions to prevent injury to property of individuals and corporations had been in vogue many years, and also applied to strikes from which harm came during the progress of trouble.

PROFESSOR'S ROTTEN WORK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Hiram B. Aldrich, a professor of elocution in a well-known Milwaukee college, was arrested tonight at the instance of Robert W. McAfee, western agent for the Society for the Prevention of Vice, charged with distributing obscene literature and introducing it into a school. It is alleged that Aldrich had certain obscene publications in his desk at college, and gave them to an 18-year-old girl of his acquaintance.

FIRST OVER THE BRIDGE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MINNEAPOLIS (Minn.) Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Hannah R. Morrison, a woman of more than ordinary historic interest in the Northwest, died last Sunday and was buried today. Mrs. Morrison's husband constructed the first bridge ever built across the Mississippi River. When the superstructure was erected, Mrs. Morrison and some friends walked across on the temporary planking, so that she was probably the first woman to cross the Mississippi on a bridge.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS FROM THE WORLD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEOUL, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Describing scenes aboard the Variag after she had been hit twice, the New York World correspondent cables to his paper: "The ship was a living hell. Absence of gun shields left the crews exposed to rapid-fire guns and schrapnel. The concussion was stupefying and the noise deafening. But the dazed and benumbed Russians kept on working the guns. One Russian lieutenant said: 'There was blood, blood, blood everywhere; severed limbs and torn bodies. It was horrible.'

"The Korietz was little hurt, and her crew was apparently uninjured. She fired her 8-inch guns alternately, being handled very skilfully, while the Variag attempted to use the islands as a protection."

CORRESPONDENTS TIED UP.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOKIO, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Correspondents of foreign newspapers are compelled to remain in Tokio awaiting permits to join the Japanese forces. News of the success of the Japanese arms in all encounters is received by the people here with dignified manifestations of joy. Everyone in authority and out of it refuses to admit of the possibility of compromise with Russia.

FRANCE TRANSPORTING TROOPS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PARIS, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] France has decided to charter the steamship Cholon to transport to the Far East 900 men, with officers, of the Forty-sixth Colonial Regiment. The government asked the Compagnie Nationale for the exact number of vessels that could be placed at its disposal for conveyance, in case of urgency, of new troops to the Asiatic colonies.

ENFORCING NEUTRALITY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BRUSSELS, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Dutch government has dispatched three cruisers to guard the port of Subang, Sumatra, which lies on the direct route for the Far East. Holland is resolved to avoid complications by the literal enforcement of the declaration of neutrality.

KILLED AT THE TELEPHONE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] William B. Rucker was shot dead today as he stood at the telephone talking to his wife. He was married three weeks ago. As the shot rang out, she heard his shriek and then the sound of his body as it fell to the floor. She notified the police, but the assassin was not caught. Two men with whom Rucker had quarreled were arrested, but no evidence against them was found.

DROWNED 700 FISHERMEN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Chronicle publishes a dispatch from Tokio saying it is reported that the merchantman Nomakura Maru, which was sunk by Russians in Tsugaru Strait, had aboard of her 700 Japanese fishermen. They were all drowned. The country is indignant.

It is persistently rumored that the Russian fleet left Port Arthur on the 11th for an unknown destination. Rumors of a fresh Japanese bombardment of Port Arthur have been heard here, but as yet are unconfirmed.

ALIEN POPULATION DEPORTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Times Port Arthur dispatch of February 13, via Peking, says the alien populations of Port Arthur and Dalny are being deported. Desultory firing by the fleet continues. The Japanese fleet was sighted twice Thursday. The following warships are lying here disabled: Battleships Czarevitch, Retvizan and Petropaulovski; protected cruisers Pallada, Askold and Novik. The protected cruiser Boyarin is slightly disabled.

CHINESE TROOPS MOVING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Standard's correspondent at Tien-tsin says that Chinese troops are still being moved outside the wall under secret orders. Russian troops are mustering their forces at Yalu River. Heavy fighting is reported there.

JAPANESE BATTLE FRONT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHEMULPO, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Japanese have now rolled their battle front along a line some distance south of the Yalu. This is their fighting front. The line they are now moving stretches further, and ranges from the Great Wall to Vladivostok.

ELEVEN RUSSIAN WARSHIPS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HAMBURG, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Eleven Russian warships are expected to traverse Kaiser Wilhelm Canal on their journey to the East, Thursday next. Permission for their passage has already been received from German authorities.

AWAITING LAND CONFLICTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Russia continues to wait with the utmost confidence the conflict on land that is soon to come. This confidence is firmer because military experts recognize that their relief from the responsibility of maintaining a long line of railway through Manchuria, will greatly simplify Viceroy Alexieff's task.

HORSEMEN'S MAMMOTH LOSSES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CINCINNATI, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John J. Ryan, the turf plunger, and other horsemen interested in conducting the outlaw track at Newport, Ky., last winter, lost about $208,000 during that season, this being discovered by Special Commissioner George Kiefer, appointed by Judge Tarvin, on the Newport track, who today completed an examination of the books.

WARLIKE IN BALKANS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Telegrams from the Near East again emphasize the gravity of the situation in the Balkans and indicate the probability of Turco-Bulgarian hostilities. Turkey has ordered quick-firing guns, munitions and horses and has recalled her officers studying in Germany. Troops are constantly at firing practice. Forces are being massed at many points adjacent to the Bulgarian frontier. Bulgaria is also credited with ordering big guns and quantities of rifles and ammunition.

DOWIE'S SYDNEY MEETINGS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SYDNEY (N. S. W.) Feb 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Rev. "Elijah" Dowie is having turbulent times here. Rowdy scenes have characterized his meetings, and these culminated tonight when a crowd broke up the exercises and drove Dowie out of the hall. The "Phophet" escaped in a cab, but a howling mob of 5000 followed him to his hotel. Dowie, fearing for his life, fled from the hotel by a back door.

ELEONORA DUSE ILL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

GENOA, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Eleonora Duse, the actress, is seriously ill of bronchial pneumonia. A consultation of specialists was held today. Even should she recover, she will be unable to act for a long time.

COLDEST OF THE WINTER

Frosty Weather in Michigan, New York and Pennsylvania — Two Men Found Frozen to Death.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DETROIT (Mich.) Feb. 16.—Last night was the coldest of the winter in the lower peninsula of Michigan. The thermometer here dropped to 9 deg. below zero. Grand Rapids reports that the thermometer registered 10 below, and at Alpena it was 16 below.

FIFTEEN BELOW ZERO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SYRACUSE (N. Y.) Feb. 16.—A severe snowstorm is raging all through this section of the State. The thermometer in Syracuse was 15 deg. below zero during the night.

CHILLY NEW YORK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—A piercing wind today added to the discomfort in this city by a drop of 25 deg. in the temperature in ten hours and outdoor work was reduced to the minimum. At 3 o'clock the official record of the mercury was 1 deg. above zero, that being the lowest, although suburban thermometers registered from 4 to 10 deg. below zero. Ice cakes in both rivers hampered the ferry service greatly during the day.

TWO FROZEN TO DEATH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 16.—Thermometers registered from 5 to 10 deg. below zero in and about Pittsburgh today. At Corry, it was 30 deg. below zero. Two men found frozen to death—an unknown man in Alleghany and Robert O'Brien at Cormopolis, a suburb.

MUST STAND TRIAL.

Senator Burton up Against It for Accepting Money to Use His Influence Against Fraud Order.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 16.—Judge Adams, in the United States District Court, today overruled the demurrer of United States Senator Burton of Kansas to the indictment charging him with accepting money for using his influence in preventing the issuance of a fraud order against the Rialto Grain and Securities Company. The trial of the Senator was set for March 22. A panel of sixty jurors has been ordered for that date.

The indictment grew out of the trouble of the Rialto Grain and Securities Company, when that concern ran afoul of the United States Postoffice Department and further use of the mails was denied it. It is charged that for $500 per month Senator Burton was to use his influence to have the embargo removed.

THE COURT'S WORDS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 16.—"I regret that counsel have not been able to call my attention to any adjudication of any court on these direct questions under consideration. So far as I know, the peculiar feature of section 1782 now under consideration has never been adjudicated by any court of the United States. In the absence of the aid of any prior adjudication, I have now given the statute in question such interpretation as its language, taken in connection with the obligation imposed by the Constitution and laws upon the executive department of the United States, seems to me to require. "It follows that, in my opinion, the United States can be and is interested in the matter alleged to have been pending before the Postoffice Department. I think the same conclusion would follow if he should be given the ordinary and natural meaning of the word 'interested.' Its primary meaning is 'to be concerned in a cause or its consequences,' and this meaning is the one which ordinarily should be given to legislative enactments. The demurrer is overruled."

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KILLED BY SNOWSLIDE.

BOISE (Idaho) Feb. 16.—News was received here today that S. S. Spaulding, one of the best-known mine superintendents in this section of the State, was killed Saturday by a snowslide which struck the cabin in which were Spaulding and his Chinese cook, and which carried the building 200 feet down the mountain side, smashing it to splinters. Both occupants were crushed to death. Spaulding was a native of Milton, Mass., and was a graduate of Harvard. His body was recovered and will be shipped to Boston.

WILL GET MONEY IN FULL.

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 16.—Col. Egress, chairman of the Depositors' Committee of the International Bank and Trust Company, says that an investigation into the accounts of the institution shows that depositors will receive their accounts in full.

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THE FAR EAST.

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the effect that it is quite an outrageous proposition. An influential member of the Council of the Empire, speaking on the subject, said: "The American note, is considered in official circles as dealing with Manchuria, as well as the rest of China, notwithstanding different interpretations by the French and German press. It is thought at any rate that the note had been issued to make Russia believe that America wants to redstablish Chinese sovereignty there.

"It is considered as a measure of intimidation and an official intimation beforehand that the United States, even after Russia's victory, will strongly oppose our point of view regarding Manchuria. What will be the end of this highly-inopportune American demonstration I do not know. But, as a matter of couse, if America steps into Japan's place, Russia cannot but adopt toward the United States the very same firm, but conciliatory attitude which she has shown toward Japan."

The Birjavaia Viedomosti says: "The American note comes too late. Such an idea could never be tolerated by Russia."

Continual rumors are in circulation as to the reappointment of M. Witte, not only as Minister of Finance, but with still more important powers combined with that office.

CHINESE ATTACK RUSSIANS.

FIFTY-EIGHT MONGOLS SLAIN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald this morning publishes the following from its correspondent:

CHEFOO, Monday, 9 a.m.—Following the reported Japanese success in the first attack, on the 12th inst., 180 Chinese mounted bandits ransacked the Russian station near Mukden. A Chinese servant informed his employers in time. They fled precipitately. The bandits, seeing success, approached the next station, but here they were met by eighty Cossacks, who entirely defeated them, and they in turn fled, leaving fifty-eight dead. Arriving passengers confirm the report of extensive Russian reinforcements at Harbin.

INCREASING THE GUARDS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald this morning publishes the following from its correspondent:

PORT ARTHUR, via Chefoo, Tuesday, 2:40 p.m.—The authorities have taken every precaution to protect the arsenal. The usual guard of 500 men has now been increased to 2000. At Kinchow, Talienwan and Bidzivo the forts and garrisons have been replenished threefold. A circular has been issued that any Chinese caught looting will be shot immediately.

At Newsky, the destroyer works at Port Arthur, there is a great rush of activity, as they are doing their utmost to launch six partly-finished vessels now building. Labor is scarce, but high wages entice Chinese smiths to work. The naval gymnasium is also preparing recruits for sea duty.

The bodyguard of the Viceroy, usually only eight Cossacks, now comprises thirty-six chosen men.

A high mass, which lasted four hours, was held at the Russian church Sunday, at which were present the Viceroy and all other high officials. The presiding Pope blessed the regimental banners.

LANDING AT CHINWANG TAO.

JAPS ENCOUNTERING ICE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A dispatch received here from Port Arthur, dated February 15, says the Japanese are landing at Chinwang Tao, a port on the southern border of Manchuria, close to the Chinese Northern Railroad. The sea there is covered with ice for a distance of fourteen miles from the shore and this would make landing extremely difficult. No Japanese have been seen on the Yalu River.

The Japanese are landing provisions and munitions of war at Wonsan, on the east coast of Korea and north of Seoul.

CAPT. STEPANOFF'S DEVICE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—Capt. Stepanoff, who was blown up with the torpedo boat Yenisei and who himself invented the system of laying submarine mines which is considered responsible for the catastrophe, had caused the Yenisei to be fitted with his device for the rapid laying of mines, whereby a trolley line extended beyond the vessel's stern, along which the mines slid out and roped into their appointed place. This plan did away with the cumbersome work of laying the mines from small boats. The accident was due to the excessive strain on the Yenisei's anchor cables while the mines were suspended, pending the immersion. The two cables snapped, and one mine collided with another.

NOTES FROM CHEFOO.

BAKERY SMASHED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald publishes the following from its correspondent:

CHEFOO, Tuesday (3:10 p.m., Eastern time.)—Government officials at Port Arthur are very strict against merchants raising food prices, and it is reported that they have entirely demolished a large bakery which was making an attempt to corner flour.

The Japanese are hastening their preparations on Elliot Island with transports and commissariat, from which they will make a big attack on Port Arthur.

In Manchuria, the railway guards have been considerably strengthened for fear of interruption by the Chinese.

At Harbin, the flour mills are now under government control.

RUSSIANS FROZEN IN AT VLADIVOSTOK.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, Tuesday, Feb. 16.—[By Asiatic Cable.] The flag of the Russian cruiser Variag, recently sunk off the harbor of Chemulpo, which will be presented to the Emperor as the first trophy of the war, reached Sasebo yesterday on the cruiser Chigoda, together with an anchor, a gun and other souvenirs of the destroyed warship. The captain of the cruiser Chigoda has been summoned to Tokio to personally recount to the Emperor the actions and experiences of himself and crew. He will bring the captured flag with him and personally present it to the Emperor.

The German steamer Batavia has just reached Moji with 1500 Japanese refugees on board, including the commercial agent of Japan at Vladivostok. The latter reports that ten Russian torpedo boats are frozen up at that port, unable to move. The commander of the garrison and the local authorities at Vladivostok called upon the departing agent and complained that the Japanese had opened hostilities without having declared war.

When the news of the opening of the war reached Vladivostok the squadron there was hastily repainted and cleared for action, leaving port on the afternoon of February 9. He believed that it returned to Vladivostok after sinking the Nakomura Maru. There are no torpedoes or mines sunk at Vladivostok, and the place is totally unprepared to resist attack. Massing of troops on the north bank of the Yalu continues, the Russians evidently believing that the Japanese intend to make their main attack there, with the object in view of forcing their way through the Russian lines and destroying the railway, thereby cutting of all communication with Port Arthur and Vladivostok.

The Japanese are again agitating the construction of the Seoul and Wiju Railway, and great quantities of material used on the Fusan-Seoul Railway are available. In event of a prolonged war, a railway between these points would be of immense advantage.

RUSSIANS WARM UP TOWARD AMERICANS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Information has been obtained at the Foreign Office that Secretary Hay's proposition to limit the area of war operations is considered "practicable" and that a response will soon be forthcoming. Viceroy Alexieff is being consulted regarding the matter, and the authorities are doubtless awaiting an indictation as to how the proposition will be received by Japan.

The sympathetic reception given by the powers to Mr. Hay's note and the representations the powers have made here have undoubtedly had a good effect upon official opinion, and the Russian government shows a more friendly spirit toward the direct representations made by the United States. The American government is now pressing for an answer to the request that United States army officers be allowed to accompany the Russian field operations, but it is explained that Viceroy Alexieff, to whom the request was referred, has not yet replied.

Carnival week, usually the gayest of the year in Russia, opened yesterday, but under the shadow of the war, the merry-making was only a ghost of that of former years. In St. Petersburg, all the festivities, including balls, public and private social functions and fashionable weddings planned months in advance, have been abandoned. Business, however, is as usual suspended, and thousands of little Finnish sleighs, with tinkling bells, which for this one week are allowed to compete with the regular drosky drivers, whisk people through the snow-covered streets at cut prices, although their occupants are not evidently possessed by the true carnival spirit.

The rush of crowds to buy extra editions of the newspapers, the intense activity at the War and Marine ministries and the crowds about the Admiralty anxiously inquiring regarding the fate of relatives are grim reminders of where the thoughts of the people are. Instead of the customary festivities, the theaters gave double performances for the benefit of the Red Cross Society, and last night, the artists' ball, one of the biggest events of the social season, which it was intended to abandon, was held in a hall decorated to represent the feast day of Benares. The artists were attired in the garb of Hindoos, with the object of swelling the Red Cross Society's funds.

An issue of 50,000,000 roubles credit notes, secured by gold, was made February 13. The comparatively small influx of circulating credit notes into the treasuries and the Imperial Bank and the increased withdrawals for the Far East are assigned as reasons for this. The total of the credit notes in circulation February 14, was 680,000,000 roubles.

GIVE ATTENTION TO THE BRITISH.

GEN. IVANOFF PREPARING FOR AN ATTACK ON INDIA.

Czar's Government Considers the Contingency of Open Hostility on the Part of Great Britain—Public Opinion in Russia Strongly Against Alexieff—Patriotism at Moscow.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Lieut.-Gen. Ivanoff, governor-general and commander of the troops in Turkestan, has gone to Tashkend with Gen. Sakharoff, chief of the military district of Turkestan. It is said in high military circles that Gen. Ivanoff has been instructed to prepare for the contingency of military action in the direction of India, in the event of Great Britain adopting an attitude openly hostile to Russia, or attempting to prejudice Russian interests in Persia or Thibet.

Public opinion in Russia, even among military men, is strongly opposed to Viceroy Alexieff, who is accused of incapacity. A movement is on foot in favor of the immediate appointment of Gen. Kuropatkin, the War Minister, to command the Russian land forces and to give Admiral Skrydloff command of the sea.

A meeting of the Council of the Empire was held today. It was attended by the heir presumptive, Grand Duke Michael and another Grand Duke. Vice Admiral Makaroff, the ice-breaker specialist of the Russian navy and until lately commander-in-chief at Kronstadt, has gone to the Far East.

The spirit of patriotism at Moscow among the Muscovites has resulted in the rough handling of a number of persons who failed to take off their hats while the crowds were singing the national hymn. It is even reported that some of the offenders were killed, but this is not confirmed officially.

The Boerse, after being steady yesterday, slumped today.

ALEXIEFF GOES TO HARBIN.

ATROCITIES AT NEWCHWANG.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEWCHWANG, Feb. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Viceroy Alexieff left Port Arthur today, proceeding to Harbin with Gen. Pflug, the chief of staff, and the general staff. It is said that the Russian army and navy commands will be reorganized, and that Gen. Kerpaitsky will command the Yalu division, which is expecting to be attacked by the Japanese forces.

Atrocities are daily perpetrated on foreigners and natives, both by the organized police and incoming troops, which makes it impossible for the civil administrators of Newchwang to control the situation. It is feared that a reign of terror will be precipitated if the neutral powers remain inactive. A captain of police, with ten soldiers, without any provocation destroyed the contents of a hotel owned by a German, where three Japanese had registered under the protection of the civil administrator. The Japanese were bound, gagged and robbed of food, money and jewelry. They were rescued with difficulty by United States Consul Miller, together with three women refugees, who, the civil administrator had assured Mr. Miller, would be protected.

The administration admits the gravity of the situation, but declares that Viceroy Alexieff alone can remedy it. It is believed here, however that the maintenance of order at this treaty port and the prevention of these violations of international rights can be assured only by an instant international plan supported by an armed force.

Mines have been constructed and preparations made for depositing them at the mouth of the river here, where the forts have been occupied by a field battery of artillery and guns from the Russian gunboat Svoutsch.

CALLS JAPS BARBARIANS.

ALEXIEFF'S HARD FEELINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORT ARTHUR, Feb. 15.—[By Asiatic Cable.] The firing on the German cruiser Hansa by Japanese warships occurred while she was proceeding to Port Arthur to take away the German residents and not when the latter were on board her. The Hansa was not damaged. On her arrival at Port Arthur she took on board a number of wives of Russian sailors and left port without further incident.

The work of repairing the damaged Russian battleships is progressing rapidly. The Chinese workmen were panic-stricken by the bombardment, but they are now working well, regardless of the approach of the Chinese New Year. Business is at a complete standstill but the utmost tranquillity prevails.

After the religious services Sunday there was a military review before the Viceroy, Admiral Alexieff, who denounced the action of the Japanese as barbarous, and expressed confidence that the Russian soldiers would fully avenge themselves.

Reports from the interior indicate that the Cossacks are mobilizing with great enthusiasm. In the Amur district, they are riding in squads from village to village, waving Russian flags an demanding and early chance to meet the enemy.

TO MOVE CHINESE TROOPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TIEN-TSIN, Feb. 16.—Yuan Kai Shi, commander of the Chinese army and navy, has officially informed the French general, who is dean of the European commandants, that he purposes moving February 18, the imperial troops now at Pao Ting Fu to Kin Chou, near the head of Liao Tung gulf, to guard the frontier. It is believed that the Peking troops are also moving overland toward the border.

JAPS RAISE MUCH MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

HONOLULU, Feb. 16.—At a meeting of Japanese merchants, $143,000 was subscribed to the Japanese war loan. There was one subscription of $30,000. The merchants will canvass the islands and expect to raise considerable more money to aid their country's cause.

CRUELTY OF RUSSIANS.

JAPS SURPRISED THEREAT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, Tuesday, Feb. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The government is receiving additional circumstantial reports of the alleged cruelty of Russians toward Japanese refugees from Manchuria. The Japanese Consul-General at Tien-tsin has just telegraphed to the authorities here giving a recital of the story told by thirteen women who have just arrived at Shan Hai Kwan. The women were residing at Harbin, and started south February 9 with 300 companions. One-half of these, with the women, reached Mukden on the 10th, and were ordered to leave the train by Russian soldiers, who cruelly abused them and detained the party, which they finally divided, the men being ordered to proceed to Port Arthur. The women were sent to Newchang, where United States Consul Miller provided food and transportation to them to Shan Hai Kwan.

The women say they saw several Japanese cruelly beaten and wounded. They say that the Russian soldiers robbed them of money and jewelry. Some of the Japanese escaped punishment by bribing the soldiers.

The Japanese government and people are deeply stirred by these reports of abuse and suffering sustained by the refugees. They point to their own correct attitude toward the Russians in Japan, and denounced the Russians as barbarians.

The sinking of the Nakomura Maru and the treatment of refugees is creating a feeling which betokens a bitter and relentless war. It is improbable that the Japanese will retaliate in kind, whatever excesses the Russians commit.

The Japanese are unable to understand why the men and women refugees from Harbin were divided. It is suggested that Russia intends to hold the men at Port Arthur, in the hope of avoiding a bombardment. This, however, appears extremely improbable.

IN PERFECT CONDITION.

CRUISERS NISSHIN AND KASUGA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ROME, Feb. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Japanese Minister here, M. Ohyama today received a cablegram informing him that the Japanese warships Nisshin and Kasuga, which arrived at Yokasuga, Japan, today, reached their destination in perfect condition. The dispatch adds that the war feeling among the officers and men of the two ships was very high throughout the journey, that the work of completing their preparations for active service was continued at sea, and that they will be able to take part in the hostilities almost immediately.

THOUSAND REFUGEES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

HAMBURG, Feb. 16.—The Hamburg-American Line steamer Batavia has embarked over a thousand refugees at Vladivostok. She will land them at Moji, Japan, or Kiao Chou, the German possession on the Shan Tung peninsula.

MUSTN'T CRITICIZE RUSSIA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 16.—An irade has been issued commanding the Turkish press to refrain from publishing comments unfavorable to Russia during the war.

PRESBYTERIANS ANXIOUS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OTTAWA (Ont.) Feb. 16.—Moso, the Japanese consul at Montreal, has arrived here to protest to Premier Laurier against the legislation of the British Columbia Legislature to exclude Japanese from Canada. The British Columbia Legislature has on several occasions passed similar legislation, but it has always been disallowed by the Dominion.

Secretary of State Scott, in response to a request to take necessary steps to acquire immediate protection for the missionaries of the Presbyterian church now in Korea, cabled the British minister at Seoul, requesting him to protect the missionaries and church property. The Minister, Jordan, replied as follows:

"Telegraphic communication with Song Ching interrupted, but I sent a message February 6 to Wonson, to be forwarded overland, recommending that women and children at Song Ching and Ham-Teung should be sent to Wonson."

JAPS PREPARE TO LAND.

LOOKED FOR AT NEWCHWANG.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PARIS, Feb. 16—[By Atlantic Cable.] Advices through the French government's channels confirm published reports that the Japanese are preparing to make a landing west of the Liao Tung Peninsula, at or near the port of Newchwang. Owing to the sandy shallows near this port, it is expected that the landing will occur at the rocky points eastward of the town. Owing to the extent of American interests there and it being the port entry of the capital of Manchuria, considerable importance is being attached to the movement.

A dispatch to the Figaro from St. Petersburg, timed 3:30 a.m. today, says:

"It has been decided to hold the Russian squadron from the Mediterranean, now in the Red Sea and bound for the Far East, at Jibutil, French Somaliland, until further orders. Admiral Rojdostwenski, chief of the marine staff, is going to assume the naval command at Port Arthur. The stopping of the Russian squadron at Jibutil may lead to international complications. Jibutil being a neutral French port. It is understood that France is not likely to ask the squadron to leave."

SUPPLIES FOR RUSSIA.

MAY SUPPORT THE JAPS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Knowing that the Siberian Railway could not convey the necessary supplies to Manchuria and Vladivistok, Russia ordered at Christmas time large quantities of provisions in America for delivery in San Francisco, January 23, January 28, and February 7, says a Vienna dispatch to The Times. The greater part of these provisions have not reached the Russian harbor, and may serve to support the Japanese navy.

The question of supplies will be all-important in this war, continues the correspondent. Much indispensable material had to be taken from Warsaw and sent to the Far East, and all other provisions were to come from America or from Odessa by sea. Everything that was left in the Black Sea after New Year's is unlikely to reach its destination.

For this reason, the provisioning of the army in the Far East is causing great anxiety, as nothing can be obtained there in the winter, not even forage for the horses. Even were the Siberian Railway in perfect order, it would not suffice to carry the food for from 150,000 to 180,000. However, the line is now obstructed by trains carrying rails, sleepers and building material, and the matter of supplies is said to be causing great anxiety.

ANSWER TO HAY.

ALL IN EXCEPT RUSSIA'S.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Secretary Hay today received responses from Austria-Hungary and from Portugal to his neutrality proposition, the answers in each case amounting to an acceptance of the principles laid down by the Secretary as to localization of the struggle and neutralization of China. This completes the list of answers from all the powers addressed on the subject with the single exception of Russia.

Relative to a reference in one of the European dispatches to a second note to the powers from the United States relative to neutrality, it is explained at the State Department that this note was nothing more than the text (already published) of the note to Japan and Russia, which Secretary Hay in his first note had informed the powers he was about to dispatch.

Although unofficially advised of the arrival at Chefoo of the American ship Pleiades from Port Arthur, where she had been under detention, the State Department, has directly learned that the vessel brought away with her the 100 Japanese who had been up to that time prevented from leaving.

MAJ. MACHIEDO GOING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Maj. Machiedo, military attaché of the Japanese legation at St. Petersburg, has left here for Vancouver, on his way to the Far East. He expects to reach a Chinese port and go from there to join the Japanese army.

RUSSIAN CONSULATE BURNS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The Russian consulate there was destroyed by fire Sunday night, says a World dispatch from Shanghai. The cause has not yet been ascertained.

The Russian gunboat Manjur, which was trapped by the Japanese warships at the mouth of the Yangtse River is now being dismantled.

MISSIONARIES SAFE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—A cable message from Seoul, Korea, reached the office of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church in this city today, announcing the safety of all Methodist missionaries in Korea and the safe arrival from Shanghai of Bishop Moore.

JAPAN AND CIVILIZATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Mr. M. Yabu, Japanese commissioner to the World's Fair at St. Louis has just arrived in this city from the Orient. With him is Mr. K. Yabe, Japan's most celebrated decorator of china, who has charge of the decorations at St. Louis. Yabu predicts a great Japanese victory, which will end the war. He says that Japan is now fighting the battle of the civilized world, and expects no help from outside nations, only sympathy.

LUMBER FOR MANILA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—The transport steamer Buford, one of the fleet of government vessels that was hurriedly prepared for sea at this port, has received orders to proceed to Portland to load lumber there for Manila. The vessel will sail for the North Thursday. The urgent demand for lumber in the Philippines for the use of the army department there comes as a surprise, but it is thought it is intended for the construction of barracks for the accommodation of any extra troops that might be necessary to send to the Far East.

CABLE LINE REPAIRED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—The Commercial Pacific Cable Company has been advised that the cable between Hongkong and Foo Chow has been repaired, restoring normal communications between Hongkong, Shanghai and Japan. The Japanese government states that all telegrams to and from Nagasaki or in transit through Nagasaki since February 15, are subject to military censorship.

PHILADELPHIANS ALARMED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 16.—Relatives and friends of missionaries now situated in Manchuria, Korea and Japan, are alarmed for their safety. Miss Minerva L. Guthaphel of Germantown and Rev. Wilbur C. Swearer of Beaver, Pa., are in Seoul, and Rev. W. Arthur Noble and his wife, of Weston, Pa., are in Ping Yang. Rev. S. W. Thomas, editor of the Philadelphia Methodist, and a member of the Methodist missionary, said today that all missionaries stationed near the seat of war have been notified to use their own judgment in remaining or fleeing from their stations.

SOUTHERNERS SAFE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NASHVILLE (Tenn.) Feb. 16.—A cablegram received today by the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Presbyterian Church of its missionaries safety of its missionaries

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BOYARIN BLOWN UP.

Confirmation of the Loss of the Russian Cruiser and 197 Men.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The report circulated here today that the Russian cruiser Boyarin was blown up last Saturday and that all her officers and crew, 197 in number, were lost, is confirmed from a private source.

The Boyarin was 348 feet long, 41 feet beam and 16 feet draught. She was of 3200 tons displacement and her trial speed was 25 knots. Her armament consisted of six 4.7-inch guns, eight 1.8-inch guns, two 1.4-inch guns and three machine guns. She was also fitted with six torpedo tubes. The Boyarin was last reported as having taken part in the engagement of February 9 at Port Arthur.

ENGLAND PREPARING TO TAKE A HAND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HALIFAX, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A very important and rather significant order was issued today at the instance of Maj.-Gen. Charles Parsons, commander-in-chief of the imperial forces. It calls for the manning of all fortifications in the harbor by every available man of the royal garrison of artillery. The men are under orders to leave the city for the forts tomorrow for three-days maneuvers.

Summons of this nature, coming as it does in the middle of the winter, with the roads leading to various fortifications banked with snow, together with the fact that two world powers are at war with each other, will have a tendency to lead many to believe England is preparing for possible eventualities.

"What does all this mean?" an officer of the Royal Artillery was asked.

"It means very much," replied the officer. "We do not know when Great Britain may be compelled to take a hand in the war game, and we are certainly getting ready for any emergency that may arise."

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President Will Not Go to Cleveland.

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[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—All that is al of Senator Hanna lies in the m at the Arlington Hotel, where, the long, brave struggle, he died. remains are being prepared for . Thus far, only a few of the intimate friends of the Hanna have been permitted to enter chamber. In appearance the of the dead are very lifelike. council of the Hanna family intimate friends of Sena- held today, arrangements for the funeral. During H. M. Hanna visited He was accompanied by eneral Payne. After a with the President and the of the Cabinet, Mr. Hanna that the President would the funeral services in as much as he would like to, would attend the state funeral in the Senate chamber. Sec- Taft, Cortelyou and Wilson, will go to Cleveland.

remains of Senator Hanna will moved from the hotel to the at 11 o'clock tomorrow morn- after the funeral services in the chamber, which will be con- by the chaplain of the Senate, by the chaplain of the House. will lie in state in the Mar- of the Senate. It then will ed to the Pennsylvania sta- At 3 o'clock, a special train the body will leave for Cleve- The train will be met at the by the citizen's committee and Ohio National Guard Cav- which has been ordered by Gov. to act as a special guard of During the afternoon and of Thursday, the remains will in the Chamber of oCm- Cleveland.

VELAND ARRANGEMENT.
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
VELAND (O.) Feb. 16.—Numer- conferences by long-distance tele- were held today between friends Hanna family here and in relative to funeral ar- ts in this city. The pall- have been selected as fol- Gen. Herrick, Judge W. B. Andrew Squire, J. B. Zerb, Powell, A. B. Hough, William and Samuel Mather.
ing place of the re- has not been decided upon. It , however, that the body temporarily in a vault Cemetery, where the bod- Garfield and other dis- are interred.
of the estate left by Sen- is estimated from $7,000,- $8,000. It is stated that he at least 15 per cent. of the stock Cleveland Electric Railway. In is being largely interested in and iron-mining properties, he director in the Union National Guardian Trust Company, the Saving and Loan Company of and the Cleveland and Pitts- Railway. He was a stockhold- Pittsburgh Coal Company. He Euclid-avenue operahouse

committee appointed by the family at Washington met to- and requested Mayor Johnson to proclamation that all business city be suspended during the of 2 and 2 o'clock on the day funeral, Friday, February 19; residences and business houses the route—Euclid avenue from of the Pennsylvania rail- the Chamber of Commerce—be catafalque used in the ly- state of President McKinley at has been secured for a similar for Senator Hanna and it will here in the morning. The burial place in Lake View Cemetery. ceremonies being held in mortuary chapel.

body will be placed in one of the vaults in the chapel until spring. Guard will conduct brief serv- the chapel. The seating capacity Park's Church, 800, will limit the who can be there. The Ohio State Leg- is expected to attend in a body. Congressional delegation, Senate , will be taken care of at Arlington Hotel.

committee suggests that the State on Friday after- five minutes, from 1 p.m. to business, railroad traffic and service in every town be as a mark of respect to the

AT PUBLIC FUNERAL.
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
LAND (O.) Feb. 16.—At a of representative citizens the City Hall this afternoon, it that the funeral of Senator likely to be one of the great- of affection ever shown in this city. Veterans War, workingmen, Span- veterans, and, perhaps, military companies of participate in the funeral During the time the body the Chamber of Commerce the guard of honor will be of Civil War veterans and the Fifth Regiment.

Johnson will issue a procla- tomorrow suggesting the sus- business during the hours and this suggestion will Mr. President Andrews of Electric Company stated would order the cessation of service in the city during

Hanna was a comrade in Post, G.A.R., and that or- will be prominent in the procession. The proffer of mi- service to maintain order was declined by Mayor John- confident that the local po- for the occasion.

invitations will be sent to Nation to participate in the that all those who wish will so to do. The representa- United Trades and Labor and that undoubtedly thous- workmen would be part of escort.

to the church will be by body of Senator Hanna will to the family home nor the son, but will be in the committee of public men meet it arrives in the city take part in ceremony in Lake View

WILL SUCCEED HANNA?
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
(O.) Feb. 16.—The Gen- today adjourned until out of respect to Sena- tor Hanna. At that time, the two houses will be formally notified by Gov. Herrick of the death of the Senator, and three weeks later, on March 4, a ballot will be taken for a successor in the Senate.

The political situation is very unsettled and who the Republicans will agree on is beyond conjecture. Gov. Herrick is spoken of, but political alliances make it almost impossible for him to accept the honor. Congressman Dick is also mentioned as a candidate. Judge Taft is considered by many and other names are mentioned.

MITCHELL'S CONDOLENCE.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Feb. 16.—President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America has sent a personal telegram of condolence to Mrs. Hanna, saying that in the Senator's death, labor had lost a sincere friend.

GOV. DURBIN TO ATTEND.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 16.—Gov. Durbin, his staff and State officers to the number of twenty will go in a special car to Cleveland Thursday night to attend the funeral of Senator Hanna.

DIDN'T WANT PRESIDENCY.

T. H. CARTER'S STATEMENT.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
HELENA (Mont.) Feb. 16.—In an interview published in the Record today, former Chairman of the National Republican Committee Thomas H. Carter said:

"The week before last I happened to occupy a room next to Senator Hanna in the Arlington Hotel in Washington, and spent a portion of every afternoon during the week with him.

"Senator Hanna was not a candidate for the Presidency in opposition to President Roosevelt, at any time. Last summer, I spent a day with him at his house in Cleveland, and in the course of a conversation he said to me emphatically that there was no warrant whatever for the use of his name as a candidate; that he believed the interests of the party required the nomination of Mr. Roosevelt and that there should be no division in the ranks. I know that ten days ago his mind was unchanged on that question."

"A NATIONAL CALAMITY."
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
DENVER (Colo.) Feb. 16.—Speaking of the death of Senator Hanna, Edward O. Wolcott, former United States Senator from Colorado, said: "I feel particularly sad, for he was a personal friend of mine. He was a great man and his death is a national calamity. When it comes to the organization, he will be greatly missed. He was looked upon by the conservative element of the party as the inheritor of the McKinley traditions."

Former United States Senator William E. Mason of Illinois, who is visiting in Denver, had the following to say concerning the death of Senator Hanna: "His death is a national loss. For many years to come we will see the work of Senator Hanna. Everyone who ever knew him at all intimately knows that he has lost a friend. To my mind, Senator Hanna was the peacemaker in official circles, and many a trouble has he averted for others by his constant kindness and his acts in advancing harmony."

NEWSPAPERS' TRIBUTE.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The American Newspaper Publishers' Association, now in session in this city, today adopted the following: "Resolved, that the American Newspaper Publishers' Association learned with profound regret of the death of Senator M. A. Hanna, and feel in common with the American people, the public loss; and further, that this expression of our sorrow be and is hereby extended to his bereaved family."

LEGISLATURES ADJOURN.

RESPECT FOR SENATOR HANNA.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
DES MOINES (Iowa) Feb. 16.—Gov. Cummings today read a message to both branches of the Legislature deploring the death of Senator Hanna. The message was ordered printed in the records of both houses.

SORROW IN KENTUCKY.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
FRANKFORT (Ky.) Feb. 16.—The House today adopted a resolution expressing sorrow for the death of Senator Hanna and adjourned out of respect.

NEW JERSEY LEGISLATURE.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
TRENTON (N. J.) Feb. 16.—Both branches of the Legislature today adopted resolutions of regret on the death of Senator Hanna.

ADJOURN FOR WEEK.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
COLUMBUS (O.) Feb. 16.—The Ohio Legislature adjourned today for a week as a mark of respect to Senator Hanna.

MRS. HANNA PROSTRATED.

BUT WILL ATTEND FUNERAL.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Mrs. Hanna is feeling the effects of the strain on her strength incident to her ceaseless vigilance at the bedside of the Senator during his illness of two weeks. Today, for the first time, she was very much prostrated. She rallied again, however, and during the latter portion of the day saw friends, who called to express their condolences. She expects to attend the funeral ceremonies in the Senate tomorrow, and to accompany the remains of the Senator to Cleveland tomorrow night.

SORROW AT WHITE HOUSE.

PRESIDENT DEEPLY GRIEVED.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—At the White House today, the President and all the attaches shared in the general sorrow over the death of Senator Hanna. The President, the members of the Cabinet, Senators, Congressmen and callers of all classes sadly paid tribute to the memory of the dead statesman.

From the entrance of the lamented McKinley into the White House, Senator Hanna was a conspicuous figure at the Executive Mansion. His visits had been frequent since Mr. Roosevelt succeeded to the Presidency. The President entertained a cordial regard for him and the Senator reciprocated the feeling. While they differed at times, their personal relations never were endangered.

At the meeting of the Cabinet today, the death of the Ohio Senator was lamented deeply. All the members entertained for him the profoundest regard and respect, and the opportunity afforded by the meeting was embraced by all present to pay personal tributes to their dead friend. Little business was transacted. The members decided to assemble at the White House at or about 11 o'clock tomorrow to accompany the President at the Capitol to attend the Senate funeral service.

ORDER OF SERVICE.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The House will convene at 11:45 a.m. tomorrow, when the members will march in a body, with Speaker Cannon at their head, to the Senate.

The official order setting forth the order of the service at the funeral of Senator Hanna has been prepared by the Senate committee in charge of the arrangements as follows:

The senate will meet at 12 o'clock, noon, Wednesday, February 17.

The body of the late Senator, M. A. Hanna, will be placed in the Senate chamber prior to the assembling of the Senate.

The President of the United States, and his Cabinet, the Chief Justice and Associate Justices and the Supreme Court, the House of Representatives, the diplomatic corps, the admiral of the navy and the lieutenant general of the army have been invited to attend the services in the chamber and will occupy the seats on the floor of the Senate assigned by the sergeant-at-arms.

BRYAN CHIPS IN.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
TALLAHASSEE (Fla.) Feb. 16.—William J. Bryan, when informed today of the death of Senator Hanna, said: "He was one of the most forceful figures in modern politics. He won his place at the head of his party in the Senate, and in the nation by his extraordinary executive ability, and by his skill in organizing the forces that control the party. Even his political opponents realized the strength of his personality and many admirable qualities."

MESSAGES FOR MRS. HANNA.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Messages of condolence from all parts of the world continue to be received by Mrs. Hanna. Already they number probably 2000 or more.

Got Guatemalan Railroad.

MOBILE (Ala.) Feb. 16.—Robert Q. Manser, manager of the United Fruit Company at Belis, British Honduras, who is in Mobile, states that an American company including Sir William Van Horne of the Canadian Pacific railway, Miner C. Keith and other capitalists and railroad men, and also the United Fruit Company have acquired the Guatemalan railway, a line running from Port Barreos 125 miles inland.

MRS. BARNES DIVORCED.

BOSTON, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Louisa Pierce Barnes obtained a divorce nisi from her juvenile husband in the Cambridge court this afternoon. The grounds were cruelty and desertion. It was alleged that Dr. Samuel Barnes locked his aged spouse in a bedroom at a freezing temperature and deprived her of food and drink. He is in Los Angeles.

OLD CHARIOT CAUSES ROW.

Greek Specimen of Archaeology Fell Into Hands of Rich American Manufacturer.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
ROME, Feb. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Deputy Barnabei, for merely director-general of fine arts, interrogated the government in the chamber today concerning the alleged surreptitious exportation to the United States of a Greek-archaic chariot discovered in the department of Umbria. He said this chariot was most valuable, that it dated from six to seven centuries before Christ and that it had carved upon it pictures of events of great historical interest. The loss to Italian archaeology was incalculable. The chariot had been bought for $50,000 by a wealthy American manufacturer, who had presented it to a museum in New York.

Signor Pinchal, Under-Secretary of Public Instruction, said in reply, that the inspector whose negligence had permitted the sale had been dismissed and that strong measures have been adopted to prevent a repetition of the occurrence.

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"GUTTER ART," HE SAYS.

Kaiser Wilhelm's Views of Impressionistic School Set Forth by Socialist Member of the Reichstag.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
BERLIN, Feb. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Impressionistic art and its place at the St. Louis Exposition were debated in the Reichstag today. Herr Singer, Socialist, leading the attack on the government for excluding, as he said, impressionistic paintings from the German exhibit.

"Emperor William," he said, "had termed impressionistic work 'gutter art,' and after knowing His Majesty's views, naturally the government commission could not be fair to the impressionistic school. America did not want the opinion of one man, but wished to judge for itself what the German impressionists were doing. America could become a great market for German art, and, therefore, national art ought to be completely represented."

The continuance of the debate developed several more or less covert attacks upon Emperor William's influence in art, and a remarkable feature was that loyalist members of the Reichstag like Count Oreloa, National Liberal, and Herr Von Kardaviff, the Free Conservative leader, deprecated Emperor William's activity as a patron of art.

TOTTERING WALLS FALL.

Cold Weather and Forty-mile Gale in Baltimore Make City Uncomfortable and Dangerous for Workmen.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
BALTIMORE, Feb. 16.—Today was one of the severest of the winter. The temperature was as low as 7 deg. above zero and all day long a gale blew through the ruins in the fire district at a forty-mile gait, making the conditions dangerous for all within the lines. A number of tottering walls were blown down and bricks, tin roofs and débris were sent flying in all directions. The workmen and militiamen on guard suffered keenly from the piercing blasts. The extremely cold weather has also had the effect of freezing up the whole devastated area and most of the streets, which were only recently cleaned of débris, are now covered to a depth of two or three inches with ice.

DICK MAY WEAR TOGA OF HANNA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CLEVELAND (Ohio) Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Hanna men look to Gen. Dick now as their leader. A year ago, Gen. Dick was a candidate for the nomination for Governor. He had a good organization. Senator Hanna at that time desired the nomination of Col. Herrick, and asked Gen. Dick to step aside. The latter announced his withdrawal, and then managed the campaign for Gov. Herrick in such a way as to pile up the largest majority ever cast for a gubernational candidate in Ohio. His friends now say that his self-sacrifice upon that occasion entitles him to the reward.

The only other man who is being considered here as Hanna's successor is Representative Theodore E. Burton of this city, but his candidacy, it is said, would not be pleasing to Hanna men, because he supported Robert E. McKisson for Mayor of this city. The Hanna forces were all arrayed against McKisson.

FORAKER FOR HERRICK.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
COLUMBUS (O.) Feb. 16.—The Republican leaders are making a strenuous effort to prevent a contest over the election of a successor to the late Senator Hanna, and strong influence will be brought to bear on Gov. Herrick to this end. Events are moving rapidly, however, and despite the desire to keep the Senatorial successor in the background for the present, the lines are practically drawn. The active political adherents of the late Senator Hanna in Toledo, Cleveland and Columbus are outspoken for the selection of Gen. Charles Dick. The friends of Senator Foraker are lining up for Gov. Herrick, whose election to the Senate would place Lieut.-Gov. Warren S. Harding, a Foraker man, at the head of the party in the State.

The Hanna men have not decided what to do in the event of Gov. Herrick being a candidate. They may support him. Some of them talk of continuing to support Mr. Dick in that event, or if he should not be strong enough, to line up for Secretary of War Taft. The reported candidacy of George B. Cox would complicate matters. The Hanna men, however, profess to believe that Herrick will not be a candidate.

A Hanna leader today declared to be true the report that Senator Hanna shortly before his death expressed a desire that he should be succeeded by Gen. Dick. This request from the dying Senator will weigh strongly with a large number of the members of the Legislature.

OPEN PRIMARY IN MAY.

FIRST GUN OF CAMPAIGN.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Chairman William M. Cutter, Secretary Charles E. Snook and Charles H. Spear of the Executive Committee of the Republican State Central Committee held an informal meeting today at the Union League Club. It was decided to call a meeting of the Executive Committee for March 11, and of the main body for March 12. The Executive Committee will prepare and recommend a call for the State convention which, if the usual order is followed, will be adopted by the State Committee the following day.

The executive body will recommend that the delegates to the State convention to elect delegates to the national convention be apportioned on the vote cast for Gov. Pardee at the last election, in the ratio of one delegates for each 200 or majority fraction of 200 votes cast. This will give a convention of 738 delegates, of which 121 will come from San Francisco.

The committee has interpreted the law as requiring San Francisco and other cities of the State designated in the primary law to hold an open primary in May for the election of delegates to the State convention.

Another recommendation will be that the delegates to the May convention separate themselves into Congress district conventions and nominate congressmen. In pursuance with this method of nominating, the committee will also recommend that the various Congress district committees do not issue calls for elections with a view to holding separate conventions, which, it is thought, would only create confusion. The Executive Committee will recommend that the convention be held Wednesday, May 18, but will make no suggestion as to the place of meeting. Sacramento and Santa Cruz are competing for the convention, with indications that the Capital City will carry off the prize. Santa Cruz may secure the second convention, at which Congressmen and other State candidates will be nominated.

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Bleached table damask, 54 inches wide; heavy weight; large assortment of patterns; cheap at 45c; today, per yard..... 38c

Bleached table damask, close, firm weave; excellent designs; a bargain at 60c; today, per yard..... 50c

Bleached table damask, 2 yards wide; pure linen; splendid patterns; regular $1.00 value; today, per yard..... 75c

Pure linen napkins, 20 inches square; handsome designs; cheap at $2.00; today, per dozen..... $1.75

Checked Tea Toweling 8 1/3c Yard

Linen tea toweling, 18 inches wide; in blue or pink checks; quality often sold at 12½c; today, per yard, 8⅓c.

Pretty tray cloths, pure linen, unhemmed; 27 inches long and 18 inches wide; would be cheap at 35c; today, each..... 25c

Bureau scarfs in pink or yellow; fringed sides and ends; size 18x48 inches; well worth 35c; today, each..... 25c

All Wool $3.00 Smyrna Rugs $1.98

Heavy all wool Smyrna rugs, size 26x57 inches; long close nap; 20 different patterns to choose from; regular $3.00 values; Bankrupt Sale price today each $1.98.

Heavy twilled cretonne, 27 inches wide; rich patterns; excellent for curtains and comfort covers; worth 10c; priced for Bankrupt Sale today per yd..... 8c

Tapestry 50 in. wide in rich oriental stripes; perfectly reversible; suitable for couch covers and portieres; worth 50c; priced for Bankrupt Sale today per yd..... 39c

Heavy cork linoleum; 2 yards wide; large line of patterns to choose from; fresh new goods; sell all over town at 69c; today per sq. yd..... 52c

Heavy chenille table covers; 1¼ yards square; mottled effects fringed all round; perfectly reversible; worth $1.25; priced for Bankrupt Sale today each..... 75c

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German china cups and saucers to match above plates; set of six cups and six saucers; regularly priced at $1.75; Bankrupt Sale price, per set..... $1.00

Medium japanned tin bread boxes; good hinges; well finished; regular price 80c; Bankrupt Sale price today, at, each..... 60c

Galvanized iron tubs; largest size; regular price $1.25; Bankrupt Sale price today, each..... 89c

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FIRES OF THE NIGHT.

Losses Aggregating Over Half a Million Caused by Flames in Widely Separate Parts of Country.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 16.—Fire tonight gutted the Printers' Exchange building, a six-story brick structure. The loss is $120,000.

METROPOLITAN BLAZE.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—A five-story building on Park Place, occupied by Holbert's restaurant, the American Sports Publishing Company and other concerns, was destroyed by fire tonight. The loss is $100,000.

BOOT COMPANY BURNED OUT.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
BERLIN (Ont.) Feb. 16.—The factory of the Berlin Boot Company, the largest in Canada, was totally destroyed by fire tonight. The loss is $150,000.

CAR SHOPS FIRE.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
SCRANTON (Pa.) Feb. 16.—The large paint shop of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western car shop plant was destroyed by fire tonight. The loss is $150,000.

ECHO OF FAIL WILL CASE.

PARIS, Feb. 16.—The preliminary inquiry into the charges of perjury made against Lucien Mass and Alfred Moranne, in connection with testimony given by them with regard to the death of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Fair, who were killed in an automobile accident in France in August, 1902, has been concluded. The accused were committed for trial.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

At Washington Rev. Anna Shaw has been elected president of the National Woman Suffrage Association.

The death roll of the Iroquois Theater disaster has been increased by the death of Leo Pinkus. He was a musician employed at the theater and was burned while escaping from the rear of the building. This makes the total death list 576.

The United States Coast and Geodetic Survey has ordered a survey of Hanalei Harbor, Island of Kauai. The orders are for the work to be done as rapidly as possible, and a prompt report made.

At Topeka, Kan., Blanche Boise was sentenced by Judge Haven to serve thirty days in jail an dpay a fine of $100 for her second offense in smashing the windows of buildings in which "joints" were operating on February 19, 1903.

At Newark, N. J., fire destroyed the entire grand stand and about one-third of the board track known as the Vailsburg bicycle track, one of the most famous in the country.

Corrected returns of the London Board of Trade for January show a decrease of $470,000 in imports and a decrease of $4,101,500 in exports.

A fast ferry line to Staten Island is to be established under municipal control. The board of sinking fund commissioners for Greater New York has authorized advertisement for bids calling for the construction of five high-speed ferryboats to cost approximately $370,000 each. Nearly $4,000,000 will be spent in building the boats and constructing terminals.

Six Japanese have been arrested on the Island of Kauai as a result of the murder of G. H. Glennan, formerly of Redwood City, who was killed by the explosion of a stick of dynamite under his bed in camp. Two are charged with murder and four with conspiracy. The four have turned State's evidence.

At the convention in Washington of the Woman's National Suffrage Association, Portland, Or., was selected as the place for the next meeting.

THREATEN OUR GUNBOAT.

YINGKOW, Monday, Feb. 15.—[By Asiatic Cable.] Threatening demonstrations have been made against the British gunboat Espigle and the United States gunboat Helena by Russian soldiers, whose assaults upon other foreigners continues. The Civil Administrator is making every effort to arrest the offenders, and has assured Capts. Barton and Sawyer and Consul Miller that full reparation will be made.

The Eleventh Siberian Regiment paraded at Newchwang today in full strength. The Russian authorities deny the report of the loss of the Russian vessels near Wei Hai Wei. It is stated here that Japan will wait indefinitely to land troops in Manchuria, as she considers that the control of the seas, now hers, nullifies to a great extent, Russian interests.

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BUSINESS.

Heavy liquidation in wheat followed change of rules in regard to deliveries at Chicago, and May closed at 96½@96¾. Business in the New York stock market was done chiefly in the first hour, and was confined largely to the New York public utilities.

PRICE AND POSTAGE.

The following table shows the price of the Midwinter Number when sold at The Times office. The edition will be for sale at city news stands as well as out-of-town news agencies, wrapped ready for mailing. The postage will be 5 cents per copy, if news sheets are included, and 4 cents per copy without the news sheets.

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AN UNGRACIOUS CRITIC.

Sir Henry Irving appears in a rather ungracious role when he ventures to criticise the Chicago authorities for enforcing too rigorously the laws designed to safeguard the public against fires back of the curtains in theaters. The recent terrible calamity in Chicago is so fresh in the public mind that criticism on this score comes with anything but good grace, no matter who utters it. Mr. Irving certainly has not been delegated by any competent authority as public censor for the city of Chicago. After he shall have been so delegated it will be his province to criticise; but even then, as a matter of self-regard if for no other reason, he would do well to observe the ordinary requirements of courtesy in his choice of language.

Mr. Irving is playing at the Illinois Theater in Chicago. "The city authorities," a dispatch informs us, "have prevented the use of 'spot lights' in Sir Henry Irving's production of 'The Bells,' and have compelled the stage management to use instead, in the dream scene, a strong incandescent light. This action, in connection with other safeguards which have been placed about the Chicago theater audiences since the Iroquois disaster, has caused no little annoyance to the English actor, who expressed his displeasure when called before an audience at the close of his performance in the Illinois Theater." This is what Sir Henry said "in the course of his remarks:" "I trust that you will not misunderstand me if I refer to the recent, fearful, lamentable disaster which occurred here—the disaster which was the result of panic. Panics are always terrible, and the disasters they produce are always terrible. That which occurred casts no reflections on your city or on the theaters in your city, for it could have occurred in any other city in the world and in a cathedral, in a church or in a railway station just as easily as in a theater. But it has produced a panic—a panic among your officials. And I would like it to be thoroughly understood by you that sometimes much injustice may be done by jacks in office. And I would earnestly beg you to exert all your influence to allay the feeling of panic which at present exists among officials of your city."

Evidently, the Chicago authorities are now enforcing the ordinances regulating the conduct of theaters. If they had not neglected to enforce these ordinances, the Iroquois Theater fire, with its fearful loss of life, would not have occurred. It is possible that some of these regulations are unnecessary—and it is quite as possible that they are not. At all events, it is not for Sir Henry Irving to say whether they are so. These ordinances were not enacted solely with a view to securing his approval. They are not to be suspended solely because of his disapproval. It may be very "annoying" for him to be obliged to obey the laws, the same as other people are required to do; but the probabilities are that he will have to keep right on obeying them while he plays in the Chicago theaters.

Chicago officials have been severely criticised—and justly so—because of the lax enforcement or non-enforcement of the laws relative to theaters prior to the Iroquois disaster. If they have now determined to avoid all such criticism in the future by a literal and thorough enforcement of the laws, are they to be blamed or commended? It will be time to omit the enforcement of the regulations complained of when they are no longer required by law, but not before. There is altogether too much laxness in the enforcement of laws everywhere—and especially is this true in respect to the enforcement of laws relating to the erection and management of theaters and other places of public assemblage. It is not the duty of executive officers to judge of the wisdom or unwisdom of laws. It is their duty to enforce the laws, and when they do this faithfully and impartially, their duty ends. If the Chicago officials have learned a valuable lesson from the Iroquois horror, which will cause them to enforce the laws in the future with thoroughness and impartiality, the people of Chicago are to be congratulated, although the results may not always meet the approval of "jacks" out of office.

GABFEST NEARLY OVER.

It is more or less encouraging to read in the Washington dispatches that the last week of the Panama Canal gabfest has been reached, and that a vote is soon to be taken on the ratification of the pending treaty—which ought not to be "pending" at this late day, but which ought to have been ratified weeks and weeks ago. There is really no good and sufficient reason why the vote on the treaty should not be taken today. But there is to be a few more days of delay in order to allow Senator Morgan and one or two other Senators almost as soreheaded as he to vent their spleen; then the vote will be taken. Unless all the forecasts are at fault, the result of the vote will be the ratification of the treaty, with a large number of votes to spare. Indeed, it is by no means certain that all of the Senators who have opposed the treaty will vote against it when the time comes to go on record. Most of them have heard from their constituents, and what they have heard has been, almost without exception, an urgent request that they vote for the treaty. In some instances their State Legislatures have instructed them to cast their ballots for ratification, leaving them no other alternative but to comply with the instruction or deeply offend their constituents. And again, it has become more and more evident as time passed that the American people desired the beginning of work on the canal without further delay, and that they would not easily forgive nor forget any man or class of men who should needlessly delay the work of construction.

Senator Gorman's attempt to get up an issue on the canal question was one of the most pitiable exhibitions of impotence and failure ever made by a United States Senator or a would-be party leader. His denunciations of the President, and his far-fetched efforts to impugn the motives of the Chief Executive, found little response in any quarter. Many of his own partisans were disgusted with these insincere and labored efforts to cast reproach upon a man who, whatever may be his errors of judgment, is known by practically every person in the United States to be honest and incorruptible, and to be guided in his actions by the loftiest ideals of patriotism. The more clear-sighted Democratic leaders quickly perceived that any attempt to found a political issue on critism of the President's Panama policy could only result in absolute and abject failure; hence they refused to follow Senator Gorman on the wild-goose chase which he had mapped out. It is not impossible that Mr. Gorman's faux pas on this question will cost him the Democratic nomination for the Presidency. A man who could make so egregious a tactical blunder at the very threshold of a campaign is certainly not very well equipped to lead the hosts of his party to victory at the polls.

JAPAN'S TRIUMPH DOUBTFUL.

It must be apparent to careful, unprejudiced students of affairs in the Far East that there is little warrant for the opinion that Japan's advance will assume the nature of a promenade; that Russia will be forced to sue for peace either this year or any other year; and that the Japanese will immediately occupy Port Arthur and hold it and possibly destroy the entire Russian fleet at that port.

Granting to the fullest extent the importance of Japanese successes to date, taking into account Japan's splendid navy and the fine marksmanship of its gunners, and giving all due weight to the proposition that he who strikes the first severe blow stands the best chance of ultimate victory, there still remains warrantable doubt of Japan's final triumph.

But too great significance should not attach to the war news thus far received by the outside world. It should be remembered that with the exception of Alexieff's brief dispatches, the dependable news is almost entirely from the Japanese side, and many of the reports emanating from Tokio are absurd.

It is extremely doubtful that the Japanese are preparing any desperate attack upon Port Arthur. They will need their soldiers in Korea, and will do well to keep their ships in reserve for future eventualities. In the absence of such precautions on the part of Japan, the war may soon be ended—but the cry "Hold, enough!" will come from Japan, not from Russia. The forces of the Mikado will doubtless harass and greatly annoy the Russians at Port Arthur; they will attempt to destroy the railroad north of that place; they will, perhaps, do much damage, and will make a diversion in favor of the campaign in Korea; they will probably attempt a blockade of Port Arthur. The Russians have comparatively little coal—perhaps 30,000 to 40,000 tons—and the Japs will try to prevent an increase in the supply; but if Russia is alive to the possibilities, as there is every reason to believe, she will make the Japanese blockade both difficult and hazardous. The defenses at Port Arthur are undoubtedly very strong, and the personnel of the fleet is believed to be thoroughly efficient, and, under these conditions the Russians can cause great damage to any fleet that undertakes a prolonged blockade.

It is entirely probable that the real battleground will be Korea, and Japan will need there all the men she can possibly feed and maintain, without detaching any sufficient force to assault, or hold, Port Arthur. Russia will doubtless make a determined stand in Korea; the Japs can scarcely hope to cross the pass below Mukden, and if the Russians can supply their army with food and ammunition, they can certainly bring Japan to the extreme limit of her resources. The maintenance of fleets and armies, especially in severe winter weather, is a strain that would tax the resources of any country.

Russia has incalculable interests at stake in this war, which has been forced upon her by the impetuous populace of Japan. From the moment the situation became so complicated as to appear dangerous, the Czar has been a peace element, using his best efforts to avert a trial at arms. But it is not to be supposed that, having been dragged into conflict, Russia will continue her pacific course, thereby jeopardize her chances for final victory, and thus endanger her vast commercial interests and her international standing.

Russia will make a desperate struggle both to maintain the advantages she has gained through many years of progressive effort, and to secure such others as might legitimately accrue from victory in the present war. Her resources are enormous, much greater than those of Japan. Alexieff, certain newspaper comment to the contrary notwithstanding, will probably carry on the war with strength and wisdom. With abundance of money and men to draw upon, and with such immense interests at stake, Russia will not be deterred or seriously crippled by such comparatively slight reverses as she may have already met, but will long maintain a struggle which will tax to the utmost the courage and resources of her antagonist. Eliminating the possible entrance into the war of other nations, final Russian success appears probable.

Light is thrown upon Japan's objects and strategy by a Washington dispatch published in The Times yesterday:

"Information has reached here that nearly twenty thousand troops were landed at Chemulpo yesterday, the first division of a large number which will be thrown into Korea as rapidly as possible in the effort to thoroughly occupy the strategic 'Hermit Kingdom,' where the Russian fleet is bottled up in Port Arthur. By one conversant with the Japanese plans, it is said that the repeated attacks on Port Arthur are not for the purpose of seizing that place at present unless an unexpected weakness in the fortifications there should develop. They are part of a well-defined plan for the harassing of the Russian fleet until Korea can be occupied. The bottling-up of the fleet there enables the landing of troops in Korea without the convoy of a large number of warships. The reports of disorder in the various parts of Korea hastened the operations of the Japanese, in order that they might obtain possession before anarchy became prevalent and foreign interests menaced in consequence.

"The taking of Port Arthur will form the second number in the war programme. First, however, it is learned that the Japanese propose to cut the line of communication well up on the railroad running from Newchwang to Port Arthur. It is expected a large Japanese force will land at Newchwang shortly for this purpose."

This view of Japan's military strategy is a plausible one, and not unworthy of her commanders.

The action of Mr. Shafroth of Colorado in withdrawing from the contest for a seat in Congress in favor of Mr. Boynynge when convinced that the balloting in his district was tainted with fraud, will receive the same meed of applause from the country at large that it did from the members of the House of Representatives on both sides. It was a commendable performance gracefully done, and it is to be hoped that it will establish a valuable precedent. It now remains to be seen where Senator Teller will get off, but we are unlikely to see that gentleman withdrawing from the scene in tears.

The Czar is said to be finding many vexatious problems which the war with Japan has brought up for solution, as must have been anticipated. To embark upon war is to stir up more kinds of animals than are scheduled in the world's natural history. Beginning trouble is comparatively easy, but to find the end thereof is oftentimes a tortuous and trying game.

It would appear that the refugees at Port Arthur did not stand upon the order of their going to the end of demanding seats in the cars—they were perfectly willing to stand up. And the Baron Ginsberg, whose timber concession on the Yalu practically caused the war," according to a cablegram, was "cowering" in a fourth-class car,

WHOEVER IT WAS WE'RE GRATEFUL.

Chorus: I did.

riage, among those present. The stampede from the bombarded port seems to have borne a striking resemblance to a certain Bull Run panic of other days.

All fears that Los Angeles will not be enabled to bring off a celebration of Arbor Day have been removed by the splendid rainstorm that came upon the thirsting land on Monday night and continued far enough into later hours of Tuesday to insure a generous moistening of the soil where moisture was so much needed. It now becomes the duty of all good and patriotic citizens of this city to cooperate in making the proposed celebration the same sort of a high-grade success which marks all civic undertakings in this metropolis. The need for shade trees in Los Angeles is more often remarked upon by our visitors from other lands and other sections than anything else in the way of desirable improvements. There is no better way to beautify the city of our hopes and homes than by making the thoroughfares gracious and comforting with shade during the long periods of sunshine that mark the climate of Southern California. Let us plant trees, and when they are planted let us have the aid of the authorities in giving them all desired protection against the vandalism of horse owners and of wire stringers who are wont to wield the ax recklessly. Here is another opportunity for the exhibition of that spirit of "getting together" for which the Angeleño is renowned both at home and abroad.

The gloriousness of the rain of yesterday is scarcely to be measured in mere words, nor by the rain gauge, either, for that matter. It was a most timely visitation, for it set hope beating again in many a despairful human breast, and makes several crops practically sure that have been in a stage of melancholy languishment. Let us give thanks for the blessing and continue to hope and expect that there will be more of the same.

In the midst of this profound silence what has become of the Foraker boom, the Gorman boom, the McClellan boom, the Cleveland boom, the Hill boom, and all that vast army of resounding booms which ought by this time to be making the welkin ring? It looks as if the Democratic boom, regardless of personnel, had started out with a three-cornered tear in it, and that the same also shows a tendency to rip in the seams.

There are 1,000,000 pounds of mess beef waiting shipment to the Russian forces in the field, from San Francisco, and if the Japanese find the ship it is loaded in there is likely to be a change in the consignee en route. Just what stomachs that invoice of American food will fill remains to be seen, but there is about an even chance that the Russians will never see the labels on the original packages.

The need of storm drains in Los Angeles had a practical illustration yesterday. Considering the showing made by the freshet on the thoroughfares of this imperial city, there ought to be no further hesitancy about getting to work in the construction of a means of taking care of surface water at the earliest possible date.

A rainstorm that is both copious and wide in the area covered comes as near meeting the demand of the hour as anything in the way of weather that has been wotted of in this section for many moons. Yesterday was certainly one of the gladdest days of all the glad new year in Southern California, and all along shore.

The Japanese give notice that they want no reinforcements from other countries, but will prosecute their own war with their own fighting material. It is evident that the soldier of fortune might as well consider himself mustered out.

John W. Gates says the stock market is "like a game of poker at 3 o'clock in the morning after all the winners have gone home." And if there is a man in this country who knows all the ins and outs of that homely picture of a speculative situation, it is the late drummer for barbed-wire fence.

Bulgarians have commenced to touch off dynamite, and if there isn't war on in Turkey or thereabouts within a short period it will be a mighty close squeak for that sort of a performance. The bacilli of war are in the atmosphere, so we may look out for a breaking-out of trouble where that same is least expected.

Ex-Queen Liliuokalani is probably filled with great regret that her private pension bill wasn't taken up in the copious batch that went through the House a few days ago with such remarkable neatness and dispatch.

Nature has been singing to us a song of the rain that is quite the sweetest music that has been wafted across the fragrant gardens of the sunny south in many a long sunshiny day. Encore!

It is far better to sell the bonds we have than to issue others that we can't unload.

THE PLAYHOUSES.

CASINO. "Bobbie" North, who is to take the place of Barney Bernard at the Casino, arrived yesterday.

If there is anything in signs, he has started right. Like Barney, he takes a Dutch part the first appearance instead of one of the Yid parts for which he is famed. He will make the first break in "Holty Toity."

In spite of the proverbial "knocks" that a newcomer is always supposed to get, coming into one of these girly shows in the middle of the season, there will probably be no casualties. Rice and Cady, the present Dutch comedians, are personal friends of his, and will protect him from jealous show girls and envious tenors.

He is used to wearing Barney's old shoes, anyhow, having succeeded him in the original "Fiddle Dee Dee" road show and made good with a capital G. He was Lechinsky for two seasons.

The press agent of the show says that Robert has the ardor of youth, and so much talent that it is to be hoped that he won't do the very best he can the first week, until we get used to it.

THE MASON. "A Chinese Honeymoon" slipped a cog or two last evening. The performance was tame and careless, in marked contrast with the spirited presentation of the night before. The company seems to be poorly managed, and liable to go to pieces at times and in spots.

SINGLE SHOTS.

Is the Los Angeles rainmaker getting regular space rates for this last one also?

Mr. Shafroth of Colorado is laying himself open to having his Democracy questioned.

The Japanese sink a handful of miscellaneous letters every day or so and call it a Russian battleship.

Organizers of "Don't Worry" clubs could probably find a willing auditor in one P. Heath just now.

Doubtless England looks upon Russia's "we-regret-to-reports" as having a distinctly South African flavor.

It is likely that before the war is ended both Japan and Russia will agree that Gen. Sherman was certainly a well-posted man.

The Democratic candidate is likely to be a dark horse before the convention, and he is absolutely sure to be one after the convention.

An eastern politician insists that Senator Gorman has a good boom. And being good, it appears to have followed the general rule and died young.

Whenever Russia and Japan get ready to have a general naval encounter, we trust they will let us know in time to order some extra "sorts" for the "ff" box.

The Senate has announced that it will vote on the Panama Canal treaty on February 23. This will give Panama ample time to figure out how she is going to spend the money.

As San Francisco has had about twice as much rain as Los Angeles, it would appear that the unjust are getting considerably the best of the rain distribution this season.

Senator Teller's moral right to occupy his seat in the Senate is now being questioned, but Henry will probably only wring out a few hand-made tears and let it go at that.

The newspapers complain of absence of detail in the warfare in the Far East, but they can hardly reasonably expect the telegraph lines to be able to carry more than mere names.

Queen Liliuokalani should not feel hurt because the Senate failed to vote her that $200,000. The Senators could hardly think of putting up that amount on anything less than four queens.

The Russian battleships have left Port Arthur and are diligently searching for the Japanese squadron. If Japan is to be believed, she is making no effort at concealing her postoffice address.

Mr. Hay's phrase, "administrative entity," was a trifle too strong for the understanding of the European diplomats. But Mr. Hay's diplomacy seems to be too strong for them in a great many particulars.

Although the regular quarterly Standard Oil dividend is $4 less per share than that of last year, John D. Rockefeller's credit still continues fairly good at the coal yards, and it is not thought that he will experience any actual privation.

The preserving of the voice for future generations by means of the phonograph is becoming quite general among the present day statesmen, although so far, there has been nothing adduced to show that posterity has ever done anything to deserve such treatment.

It will not be many moons now before we will be reading how some adversary slipped into the Democratic harbor and torpedoed the Hearst boom.

An asbestos worker dropped dead in San Francisco. He certainly didn't overwork himself supplying the theater curtain trade.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Those Family Remedies.

Radium, you may have observed, is now guaranteed to do all those things that liquid air was going to do a few years ago.—[Washington Post.

Touching Our Weak Spots.

The statement that the Japanese are all poets may be a cunning trick of Russia to create anti-Jap sentiment among the American people.—[Kansas City Journal.

Glad that There is One.

"There was just one subject on which Mr. Bryan refused to dwell," said a Boston dispatch. Perhaps the public will be disposed to be thankful for small favors.—[Kansas City Star.

Henri a Cheerful Loser.

Henry Watterson shows he is a true sport by being just as particular about the Democratic nominee as if he thought that party was going to win the election.—[Indianapolis Journal.

The Last Straw.

The Cleveland Plain Dealer states that "former Mayor Ames of Milwaukee has been released on a technicality." For heaven's sake, Plain Dealer, don't saddle Doc Ames on us, also.—[Milwaukee Sentinel.

Only the Market Price.

Three years ago a North Carolina orator was struck by fifteen eggs and he has just been awarded $4500 damages. This is about on a par with the current restaurant prices of eggs.—[Louisville Courier-Journal.

Innovation for the Professor.

The editor of the Cosmopolitan gave a dinner to Prof. Langley at the Waldorf, pronounced a great success. It is the first successful affair participated in by the professor for some time.—[St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The Real Facts.

A Scotchman who came to New York city to buy a farm in Manitoba has gone home disgusted because America is too big. It was eminently characteristic that he did not conclude that he was not big enough.—[New York American.

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The Moors have been caught on poles because the government put an artificial value on a certain coin which it put into circulation. The Moors do not take kindly to the school of finance.—[New York Sun.

Nature's Able Assistance.

In New York they are making a protest against the wind shaking meters in the gas meters. What with gas and water in stocks, the financial possibilities of the country are being practically recognized in modern enterprise.—[Baltimore American.

Real Maple Sugar Is Rare.

Maple-sugar making as an industry is on the wane. It has been confined in the home by the growing popularity of beet and cane. An agricultural department of farm labor is trying to bring it out also. Formerly it was made primarily for home use, the surplus being sold or traded at the village store. Now it is commerce first and home use second. The work of making sugar is still interesting but laborious. The sugar makker of to-day does not hope for success without the use of strictly modern methods, which involve considerable outlays in new appliances.

It is probable that there will always be a limited market, but it must be handled as a specialized luxury because cheaper substitutes are available. Therefore in some respects the maple product is a luxury and will probably always remain so. Small bottles of attractively bottled syrup (not too thick) will always be appreciated and paid for by a class of consumers who recognize a pure flavor and delicate product.—[Country Life in America.

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Alleged Columbus Embezzler Locked up Here.

Charged With Having Robbed Telephone Company.

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After wandering from city to city and State to State for eighteen months, shunning every peace officer whom he met and not knowing what minute would be his last of liberty, Duncan J. Millett, a fugitive from Columbus, O., where he is wanted for embezzlement and for whose capture a reward of $500 was offered, was arrested last night by Sheriff White's deputies at the Somerset House, on East Fifth street.

"I'm glad it's over, for I'm tired of being detectives," was the first remark made by the prisoner when the officers snapped the handcuffs on his wrists and bade him go with them. But the next breath he expressed the fear that his companion in crime, Katie Alexander, whose downfall he deplored, should also be arrested, and he gave her address in San Francisco. The police there had already acted, and soon after his arrest came the news from the north that the woman had been captured.

Millett and Katie Alexander were employes of the Citizens' Telephone Company of Columbus. He was assistant cashier and she occupied a confidential position in the office. They became intimate and although he has a wife in Dayton they decided to elope. He stole $2000 of the company's money and the information of the officers here is that the woman took $1200 of the concern's cash.

One Saturday night they left Columbus together and before their departure had been discovered they had traveled to Kansas and secreted themselves in a small town.

Where they went during the following eighteen months is not known, but they kept in hiding, passing themselves as husband and wife, and giving assumed names. Through the efforts of the Chief of Police of San José they were arrested. They had been in San José some time and decided to separate. They had squandered all the money they had stolen from their employers, and Millett concluded to come south to find work. The woman went to San Francisco. A message between them was intercepted by a man who had known both, and that man informed the police. It was then an easy matter for the officers to locate them. Millett stated last night that he is willing to return to Ohio without a requisition, but he wants the woman to return also. For some reason he suspected her of having informed the officers of his whereabouts and has blamed her for his arrest.

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Good Ore Found in the Lady Lou Group, a Property Owned by Los Angeles Men—Much Activity Prevails in Quartzsite District.

"Billy" Mack of Empire Flats has refused to sell his mine again. "Billy Mack's mine" has been known to prospectors along the Arizona side of the Colorado River for a quarter of a century and the owner has been induced to listen to proposals of purchase three times, but each time he has refused to sell.

For nearly a year past negotiations had been pending between a Los Angeles broker and "Billy" Mack for the purchase of the property until an apparent bargain was struck, but the broker returned to the city yesterday after a fruitless visit to Arizona. It was stated in mining circles that an offer of $50,000 was made, but Mack wanted $80,000, and the deal fell through.

The Mack mine is located about sixty miles south of the Needles and has been sunk to a depth of 200 feet by Mack alone, after years of toil. It is said that the old man has opened a vein of $300 ore at this point and he has made frequent small shipments to San Francisco whenever he wanted money, but he has steadfastly refused to sell. On one occasion he gave an option on the property for $50,000, but the would-be purchaser was two days late with his tender of cash and Mack refused to sell.

B. R. Parker, Henry Hazard and J. Henderson, three Los Angeles men, are confident that they have a property out in the Dale district which will soon develop into a good mine.

Mr. Parker returned yesterday from a visit to the property and states that the ledge has been uncovered a distance of 3000 feet on the Lady Lou group on Sheephole Mountain. In a shallow shaft assays have been obtained running as high as $218 per ton. The Lady Lou embraces eight claims and it is the purpose of the owners to incorporate their holdings into a stock company. Mr. Parker says that the Ivanhoe, Brooklyn, Supply and other mining properties of that district are producing handsomely.

Reports are again current that a large smelter is soon to be erected in the Quartzsite district in Arizona. O. A. Pease, representing a Chicago syndicate owning a large amount of territory in that district, is now on the ground investigating the proposed enterprise. While work is mainly confined to development at present, yet it is freely claimed by those interested that a large output could be steadily maintained.

The California King mill is now handling about 250 tons per day.

Capt. Coonradt of the steamer St. Vallier, plying between Yuma and Ehrenberg on the Colorado River, writes to his company in this city that an unusual amount of activity prevails in the mining country around Quartzsite and that the amount of freight now being transported to the camps far exceeds that of last year.

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Regular 35c and 50c fancy half-hose are priced at 25c today—gun metal effects, fancy stripes, black with colored embroidered clocks; made up mostly of broken lines and odd sizes—including some regular goods.

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A special purchase of a large sample line of Waists, together with various short lots and broken sizes from regular stock; mostly white mercerized cheviot, some in fancy vesting effects; some of lighter weight materials—$2.50 to $6.00 values—at $1.50 for free and unrestricted choice.

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Hotels, rooming-houses and restaurants are taking advantage of our offer to supply their needs at wholesale prices—at exactly the same figures, in fact, as dealers who buy of us are required to pay.

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Splendid $8.50 Couches $6.00

These splendid couches are substantially built in the very latest style, covered with a good quality of velour. They are not only an ornament, but a piece of furniture that is almost indispensable in the modern home. Regular lowest price $8.50. Make Room Sale $6.00

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$7.50 Extension Tables $5.75

A good, substantial, extension table. Comes in a good finish, just what hundreds of families are looking for. Make Room Sale $5.75.

All other extension tables in round and square shapes, all the latest designs and all of them at greatly reduced prices.

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THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.**

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	20	6	14	New York	28	2	15
Washington	36	8	22	Buffalo	12	*8	2
Pittsburgh	36	8	22	Cincinnati	16	0	8
Chicago	4	*4	0	St. Paul	*4	*16	*10
St. Louis	20	8	14	Kansas City	20	10	15
Los Angeles	66	52	59	Jacksonville	68	42	55

*Below zero.

**The maximum is for February 15; the minimum for February 16. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 16.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.91; at 5 p.m., 29.90. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 52 deg. and 55 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 96 per cent.; 5 p.m., 100 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 6 miles; 5 p.m., east, velocity 6 miles. Maximum temperature, 56 deg.; minimum, 52 deg. Rainfall past twenty-four hours, .72 of an inch; rainfall for season, 2.42 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—The storm covers the Pacific Slope and extends to the Rocky Mountain region. A heavy rainfall is reported from San Luis Obispo, 1.98 inches having fallen in the past twenty-four hours; .72 of an inch fell at Fresno; .52 of an inch fell at Los Angeles up to 8 a.m. The report from San Diego is missing. The temperature has risen materially east of the Rocky Mountains.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Rain tonight; showers Wednesday.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The following are the seasonable rainfalls to date, as compared with those of same date last season, and rainfall in the last twenty-four hours:

Stations—	Last twenty-four hours.	This season.	Last season.
Eureka	.66	23.92	40.70
Red Bluff	.18	16.67	17.51
Sacramento	.72	9.08	11.24
San Francisco	.87	11.24	11.48
Fresno	.74	2.47	5.72
Independence	.82	1.26	1.81
San Luis Obispo	.01	6.42	11.85
Los Angeles	.78	2.40	8.59
San Diego	.29	1.08	2.10

The pressure is rising rapidly over the Pacific Slope, and conditions favor clearing weather generally in California. The storm has moved steadily eastward and is now crossing the Rocky Mountains. The rain appeared well to the South, and generous rains are reported in Southern California. In all probability, heavy snow will fall by Wednesday morning in the southern ranges. Warnings of a rapid rise in the Upper Sacramento and in the Feather, Yuba and American rivers have been issued. The crest of the rise is now passing Tehama. The following temperatures are reported: Red Bluff, 27.4 deg., falling; Tehama, 20.5 deg., rising very slowly; Marysville, 4.04 deg., rising; Sacramento, 23 deg., rising.

Forecast:

For Northern California: Fair Wednesday; colder; brisk north wind.

For Southern California: Clearing weather Wednesday; light east winds, changing to westerly.

Nevada: Clearing, colder, Wednesday.

San Francisco and vicinity: Clearing Wednesday; westerly winds.

Arizona: Fair Wednesday, except snow and colder in the northwest portion; Thursday fair.

SPECIAL RIVER BULLETIN.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16. — Warnings have been issued for a marked rise in the Upper Sacramento, Yuba and American rivers in California.

Liners.

Telephone your want advertisement, ring up Press One any time of day or night, and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rates, one cent a word each insertion, minimum charge, 25c.

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SPECIAL NOTICES—

REAL ESTATE ADVERTISERS AND OTHERS: Hereafter all real estate and other classified "Want" advertisements for Sunday insertion must be in The Times office not later than 11 o'clock Saturday nights in order to be properly classified. All small advertisements received after this hour will be printed under a special heading of "Too Late to Classify." Special request is made of those telephoning "liners" to do so before 10 p.m. each night.

PRIZE ESTIMATES—EARN A PRIZE ON your judgment. See Times' special offer in another column for nearest correct estimates of number of separate "Liner" announcements which will appear in all the Los Angeles newspapers during week ending Febuary 20.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. All stockholders of the Hercules Oil Refining Company who have not paid the last assessment, are called to meet at 701-5 BRYSON BLOCK, promptly at 7:30 p.m., February 18, 1904. Committee. 18

GOLDEN STATE CIRCLE, WOMEN OF Woodcraft, inform neighbors and friends that their open meeting to be given February 17 will be postponed for one week on account of Neighbor Fogle's child's death. 17

NOTICE—MY WIFE, ETHLYN MOSES, HAS left my bed and board, and I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her from this date. D. C. MOSES. February 16, 1904. 17

PIONEER STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS. Carpets cleaned and relaid same day if desired. We buy and sell carpets. 637 S. BROADWAY. Tel. Main 217, Home 217.

MY WIFE, FLORA UHRIG, HAS LEFT MY bed and board and I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her from this date, February 17, 1904. L. P. UHRIG. 18

WANTED—IF NOT, WHY NOT? List your real estate with WM. EDGAR HOEL, room 15, Gordon Bldg., 206½ South Broadway. California and Ohio ad. 18

FOR SALE—BY Y. M. COMPANY, 132 W. FIFTH ST. Bamboo goods, wholesale and retail. TEL. RED 2528.

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FEATHER PILLOWS RENOVATED AT ACME FEATHER WORKS, 1103 E. Seventh st. Tel. Sunset Main 1166; Home 8341.

FRUIT TREES, ROSE BUSHES, PALMS, etc., in great variety. FANCHER CREEK NURSERY, 737 South Spring. 20

BORDERS SAME PRICE AS PAPER: BEST paint, $1.50 gallon. WALTER, 627 S. Spring.

ELMS' DETECTIVE AGENCY— OFFICES WILSON BLK., LOS ANGELES.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND. Home 2841; James 8371. MRS. HEATH.

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PERSONAL—

Business.

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PERSONAL—TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset PRESS ONE. Home EXCHANGE TWO.

PERSONAL — MRS. PARKER, RELIABLE life reading; palmist; business; lawsuits; mineral locations described; speculations; property, love affairs. 416½ S. SPRING ST., room 8. 50c to $1.

PERSONAL—MRS. J. J. WHITNEY, BUSINESS psychic and life-reader, 305½ S. Spring, corner Third, Ramona Block. 'Phone 2060.

PERSONAL — PROF. ALTHOUSE, MOST skillful scientific palmist in country. 341½ S. SPRING. (Evenings.)

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, 331½ S. SPRING, palmist, card reader. Ladies, 25c; men, 50c.

RATE FOR ADS. UNDER THIS HEADING 10c per line; minimum charge, 30c.

WANTED—

Help, Male.

WANTED — MILLWRIGHT, MACHINIST and gas or steam engineer wants position. E. P. MUNGER, 303 S. Hill. 17

WANTED—

Help, Male.

WANTED— HUMMEL BROS. & CO., EMPLOYMENT AGENTS.

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116 and 118 East Second Street, Between Main and Los Angeles sts. Largest and best equipped offices on the Pacific Coast. TELEPHONE MAIN 509. HOME 509.

MEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Buggy washer, country, $60 month; miner, $2 etc.; married man, dairy ranch, $35 and house; man and wife, ranch and cook for family, $40 etc.; boilermaker, $3.50; bookkeeper and stenographer, large ranch, $50 etc.; wood choppers, $2.50 and $3 per cord; grape vine pruners, $28.50 etc.; ranch hands, $30 etc.; milkers, $35 etc.; ranch teamsters, $30 etc.; laborers and teamsters for Arizona.

HOTEL AND RESTAURANT DEPT.

All-around cooks, $50 and $60 etc.; second, restaurant cook, $16 etc.; restaurant cook, $12 etc.; restaurant waiter, $30 etc.; hotel porter and runner, $25 etc.; all-around baker, $10 etc.; cold meat and salad man, $45 etc.; second head waiter, $40 etc.; colored waiter, $25 etc.; dishwashers, $7 and $8 etc.; pantryman, $12 etc.; C. W. Moore wanted.

HOUSEHOLD DEPARTMENT.

Second girl, $25 etc.; housegirl, Elsinore, $20 etc.; another, Chino, $25 etc.; 25 housegirls, city, $25 etc.; girls to assist, $15 and $20 etc.

WOMEN'S HOTEL AND RESTAURANT DEPARTMENT.

Pastry cook, $9 week etc.; ranch cook, 4 men, $30 etc.; pantry woman, $25 etc.; assist pantry woman, $20 etc.; two linen-room girls, $25 etc.; 2 waitresses, Arizona, $25 etc., fare paid; waitress, 2, Redlands, $25 etc.; 2, Pasadena, $25 etc.; 2, San Bernardino, $25 etc.; 2, Monrovia, $25 etc.; four, Catalina Island, $25 etc.; call early; six chambermaids, country, $20 and $30 etc.; hotel laundress, $30 etc.

17 HUMMEL BROS. & CO.

WANTED—JAPANESE INFORMATION BUREAU, 125 N. MAIN. John 1186——Home 7469. DOMESTIC. Cooks, waiters, porters, house workers; also day workers, etc. CONTRACT. Ranch hands of all kinds, railroading, gardening, etc.

WANTED—BEWARE OF IMITATIONS— The Moler System Barber and Hairdressing College of San Francisco, Cal., is the only institution on the Pacific Coast teaching the trade. All other so-called barber schools are imitators. Two months with us is equal to two years' shop apprenticeship. Catalogue mailed free. MOLER SYSTEM COLLEGE, San Fran., Cal.

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE. 'Phones Main 1400, Home 1643. 349 E. First st. We furnish all kinds of reliable help on short notice, by day, hour or contract.

WANTED—FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' LABOR BUREAU, 114 E. First st. 'Phones James 8541. Home 2341. 15 teamsters for Daggett, new camp; shovelers and teamsters, city. Spanish or French laborers, $15 per month; middle-aged lady for out-of-town general housework and lady's companion, $25 per month.

WANTED— —JAP— —JAPANESE— —JAPANESE HELP— Please telephone MAIN 207. HOME 978. JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE. 23 Room 22, 124½ N. Spring st.

WANTED— JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 125 W. NINTH ST. Tel. Sunset Main 2330. Home 4600. All kinds of first-class help promptly furnished; house cleaning day or hour; ranch work by contract.

WANTED—HELP!! HELP!! HELP!!! JAPANESE PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 631 W. SIXTH ST. HOUSE-CLEANING DEPARTMENT. PHONES HOME 1078, MAIN 1714. Most reliable help promptly furnished; ranch work by contract. 20

WANTED— JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE. 548 S. Olive street. Phone Main 1947. Home 8718. Strictly first-class and largest agency in this city; carefully-selected male and female help of all descriptions and nationalities furnished promptly; labor furnished by the day.

WANTED—FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' LABOR BUREAU. 114 E. First street. 'Phones James 8541; Home 2341. All kinds of help carefully selected. Your patronage solicited. 17

WANTED—HELP, M. E. MISSION JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU. Tel. West 579. Home 2753. House-cleaning department. Furnish most reliable help of all kinds. Ranch hands, city or country. 933 S. BROADWAY. 18

WANTED— JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 503 W. Sixth st., near Central Park. All kinds help furnished promptly; cooks, waiters, porters, ranch hands, house and window cleaners. TEL. MAIN 2764; HOME 5253.

WANTED — A RESPONSIBLE, ACTIVE business man to act as agent for our American-grown teas; one who can introduce them to the consumer; references required. Address DIEPENBROCK, Wilson Merc. Co., Sacramento, Cal. 20

WANTED—LAUNDRY COLLECTOR, TEAMSTER, bookkeeper, operator, cutter, porter, waiter elevatorman, traveling representative, guarantee $2.50 day; photographer, theatricals, amateurs. EDWARD NITTINGER, 252½ S. Main. 18

WANTED — PERSON TO CALL ON RETAIL trade manufacturing house; salary $20, paid weekly; expense money advanced; previous experience unnecessary. STANDARD HOUSE, 390 Caxton Bldg., Chicago. 21

WANTED — ENGINEER; FIRST-CLASS steam engineer for large mill in Arizona; must have knowledge of electricity; give references and wages expected. Address P, box 22, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED — MANUFACTURER DESIRES representative to handle ouput west of Rocky Mountains; fine, liberal proposition for mail-order business or travel. BERBERIAN & SON, Newburgh, N. Y. 21

WANTED — MAN TO DELIVER MILK route and do chores at dairy; $20 and keep; car to Wilshire boulevard and Commonwealth ave., then ¾ mile west, ½ mile north. Call Monday.

WANTED—WE TEACH BARBER TRADE and pay you wages while learning. Lowest rate on the Coast. Call or address AMERICAN BARBER COLLEGE CO., incorporated, 413 N. Main. 20

WANTED — WE HAVE POSITIONS OPEN for salesmen, executive, clerical and technical men, $1000 to $5000; ask for booklet. HAPGOODS, suite H, 502 Pioneer Bldg., Seattle, Wash.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS BENCH HANDS and cabinet makers; also first-class window frame makers; wages $3.50 per day 8 hours. Apply PALO ALTO PLANING MILL, Palo Alto, Cal. 20

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WITH HIGHEST references as junior assistant book-keeper in country bank, excellent future for bright young man. Apply in person, 215 COPP BLDG. 17

WANTED—UNCLE SAM IS VERY SHORT of stenographers. For information as to how you may prepare for these positions, call or address 605 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG. 17

WANTED — MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade; only 8 weeks required; 2 years saved; positions secured when competent; free catalogue. MOLER SYSTEM COLLEGE, S. F., Cal.

WANTED—A BUSINESS MAN OF GOOD address can be placed on outside work in connection with old-established city house. Call up 'PHONE RED 5913. 17

WANTED — EXPERIENCED ORGANIZER for fraternal order; cash bonus for new lodges; renewal contract. J. P. GARDNER, State Deputy, Pomona, Cal. 18

WANTED—A FINE APPEARING ELDERLY physician; must be active and good case taker; no traveling; salary $150. Address O, box 66, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BY HOLLANDER, WORK IN private family, who understands gardening, lawn, cow, horse; moderate wages. Address R, box 6, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED—GOOD SOLICITOR FOR ACCIDENT insurance; good proposition and exclusive territory to right man. Address N, box 51, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BARBER TRADE TAUGHT; cheapest and best method. Call or address WESTERN COLLEGE OF BARBERS, 206½ S. Broadway, room 20.

WANTED—$75 PER MONTH AND TRAVELING expenses paid salesmen to sell goods to dealers; experience unnecessary. PURITY CO., Chicago.

WANTED—BOYS WITH WHEELS TO CARRY routes on morning paper. Short routes, good pay. Apply "CALL" OFFICE, 103 S. Broadway. 17

WANTED—EXPERIENCED JOB PRINTER to start work this morning. ROOM 6, German-American Bank Bldg., First and Main. 17

WANTED — GOOD STRONG RELIABLE boy, one with horse and cart preferred. Apply 2500 E. FOURTH ST., Boyle Heights. 17

WANTED—POSITION AS ENGRAVER OR salesman in a first-class jewelry store. ENGRAVER, 800 S. Olive st. 18

WANTED—

Help, Male.

WANTED—MEN FOR TERRITORY; MAKE good money, steady employment. 206½ S. BROADWAY, room 25. 18

WANTED — SOLICITOR FAMILIAR WITH photo view business. Box 41 TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena. 17

WANTED—4 FIRST-CLASS SOLICITORS salary or commission. Call Room 25, 206½ S. BROADWAY. 18

WANTED—RESPECTABLE MAN, INCOME $75; must invest $300. Address R, box 23, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED—OFFICE MAN, $100 per month, must have $600. LEE R. MEYERS, 221 Johnson Bldg.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COAT PRESSER, FLETCHER TAILORING CO., 243 SO. BROADWAY. 18

WANTED—BOYS TO SELL MAGAZINES; good chance to work after school. Box 57 Station D. 17

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS ALL-ROUND MAchinist. ADVANCE MACHINE CO., 128 San Pedro st. 18

WANTED—BUSHELMAN AT ONCE. APply FLETCHER TAILORING 243 S. Broadway. 17

WANTED—AN ALL-ROUND LAUNDRY man at once. Address R, box 17, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CLOTHING and shoe salesman. Call 144 N. MAIN ST. 17

WANTED—MEN LEARN BARBER TRADE. $15 wages paid. 122 E. SECOND ST. 20

WANTED—CARPENTER, FINISHERS, TOday. EIGHTH & GRAND AVE. 17

WANTED—STRONG BOY WITH WHEEL. BRAUER & KROHN, 128-130 S. Spring.

WANTED—BOOKKEEPER FOR WHOLEsale house, 207 CURRIER BLDG. 17

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL. WONDER MILLINERY, 219 S. Spring. 17

WANTED—

Help, Female.

WANTED—FORTIN & HAWKINS, Female Department, Ramona Blk. Corner Third and Spring. Rooms 22-23. 'Phones Main 2306. Home 1672. Millinery saleslady, marker and distributor, laundry, $15 week; housekeeper, $15; envelope addresser, $6 week; pastry cook, $50; women, general housework, $35 and $30; assistants, $15 and $20; waitresses, city, Redlands, Nordhoff, Hemet, $25 and found; restaurants, $7, $8, $9; 2 pantry women, $7, $8; chambermaids, $20 and $25; 2 inexperienced collar starchers and shakers, $5; laundress, small hotel, $25 and found; shirt finisher and starch ironer, Arizona, $14 and fare paid; experienced starcher, $10 week; sleeve, body, plain and starch ironers, $10, $12, $14; child's nurse, $20; seamstress, $1, $1.25, $1.50; canvassers, $12 week. 16

WANTED—PUPILS TO LEARN TO GIVE electric face massage; electric scalp treatment, hair dressing, shampooing, manicuring, the manufacture of switches, pompadours, wigs, chains and everything in the hair work. Also the manufacture of preparations for the face and hair. We guarantee you will be able to go into business for yourself or fill a position. Consultation free. R. H. MELLINGER, 340½ S. Broadway, rooms 3, 4 and 5. 20

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPER FOR WIDOWer, city, $20, 4 in family; housekeeper, 2 in family, $15; two pantry girls, $1 per day; kitchen assistant, $1 per day; professional nurse, $15 week; practical nurse, $10 week; chambermaid, Riverside, $20 and fare; family butler, references to date, city, $40. MRS. HAWLEY, 254 S. Broadway. 17

WANTED—HOUSEGIRL, PASADENA, $30; trained nurse for institution; cleaner, steady, $1 day; young girl to assist demonstrator, $3 week; waitress, home nights, $20; housegirls, $30, $25, $20; kitchen maid, first-class family, Redlands, $25. MRS. GREGG, Miss Day's office, 121½ S. Broadway. 17

WANTED—FAMILY COOK, CITY, $25; 3 tray waitresses, city, $25 and found; cafe waitress, city, $9; two waitresses, Pasadena, $25 and found; kitchen helper, Pasadena, $30 and board; 3 housegirls, city, $25; housegirl, Alhambra, $25; fancy and shirt waist ironer, Pasadena, $30 and found. MRS. DR. SPENCER, 125½ E. Fourth. 18

WANTED — CAPABLE MIDDLE-AGED business woman to hold supplies and represent an eastern wholesale house for city office work already established; also 6 more ladies wanted for offices in St. Louis; investigate. ROOM 3, 552 S. Broadway. 21

WANTED—BUSINESS WOMEN EAGER TO make $10 weekly with $1 to start; easiest proposition; biggest profits; not interfering with regular occupation. Apply Monday and Thursday, 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. NORTEN BLOCK, Sixth and Broadway.

WANTED — SALESLADIES, STENOGRAphers, here is an opportunity to add to your weekly income without interfering with your regular occupation; agreeable work. Call 45 NORTON BLK., Sixth and Broadway, 11 to 7. 17

WANTED—5 WAITRESSES FOR COUNtry; 3 chambermaids for country; 2 housegirls for city; 15 waitresses for city; one cook for city; 1 waitress, close to city, $30. E. W. REID & CO., 206½ S. Broadway, room 22. 17

WANTED—PASTRY COOK, CITY, $50; waitress, restaurant, $8; tray work; also counter, $9; cook for country, family of 3, $30; housework, city, $25. Room 10, 221½ S. SPRING, Home 'Phone 2429. 17

WANTED—3 GIRLS TO DO SEWING, LUMber yard, officework, parlor maid, demonstrators, assistant chambermaid, waitress, housework, instructor, saleslady. EDWARD NITTINGER, 252½ S. Main. 18

WANTED — FIVE BRIGHT CAREFUL girls for card indexing in our correspondence department; hours 8:30 to 5. Call Wednesday morning. AMERICAN INSTITUTE, 1114 S. Grand ave. 17

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS BOOK-KEEPER, one with knowledge of shorthand preferred; salary $50 to $70 according to ability and experience. Apply 526 BYRNE BLOCK. 17

WANTED—SCHOOL GIRL TO HELP WITH general housework; situated near Harper's School; small remuneration paid. Address R, box 19, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED—LADY TO MANAGE ROOMING-house of 35 rooms, near Third and Broadway; must have $1000 to $2000. Address P, box 98, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED—YOUNG LADY OR WIDOW, INexperienced; learner for officework; pay after one week. Answer P, Box 96, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED—GOOD WILLING WOMAN FOR general housework and cooking; wages $30; good home. GEO. McKIBBION, Hesperia, Cal. 19

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS FINISHERS ON coats, steady work, good pay. FLETCHER TAILORING CO., 243 S. Broadway. 17

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, JOB PRESSman for good class of work. FRED S. LANG CO., 311 W. First. Tels. 934. 25

WANTED—A YOUNG COLORED GIRL FOR light housework, no washing or ironing. 737 S. BONNIE BRAE. 18

WANTED—GIRL NOT OVER 16 YEARS TO learn coat finishing. BRAUER & KROHN, 128-130 S. Spring.

WANTED—A WOMAN COOK AT THE SANTA FE CAFE, 938 E. First st. Geo. Valentine, prop. 19

WANTED—AN APPRENTICE; ALSO EXPErienced help in dressmaking. room 5, 313½ S. SPRING ST.

WANTED—LADY PUPILS; A THOROUGH course of massage taught; terms reasonable. 840 S. HILL. 17

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork and second girls. 452½ S. Broadway, room 20. 17

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WAITRESSES. ILLINOIS RESTAURANT, 340 S. Broadway. 18

WANTED — A GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, 425 S. BONNIE BRAE. Home 5202. 18

WANTED — EXPERIENCED PANTS FINisher. BRAUER & KROHN, 128-130 S. Spring.

WANTED—WOMAN TO ASSIST GENERAL housework. Wages $12. 1036 BONNIE BRAE ST. 17

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Call mornings, 920 W. NINTH. 17

WANTED—HELP IN DRESSMAKING AT 247 S. BROADWAY. A. L. Bossemeyer. 18

WANTED—LADY ATTENDANT FOR BATH parlor. 143 S. BROADWAY. 17

WANTED—STICKER HAND, 1316 MYRTLE Ave.

WANTED—

Help, Male and Female.

WANTED — THE HELPMATE INFORMATION BUREAU AND EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 120 N. Main st., room 12, furnishes all kinds of help, male and female. Wanted 1 good girl for light housework, good wages; 1 press feeder, must have experience; also other places. 17

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO PREpare for the April government examinations. For particulars call or address 605 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG. 17

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO PREpare themselves for positions with the government. Call or address 605 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BLDG. 17

WANTED—BOYS AND GIRLS WANTED. Munger's Laundry, 814 S. Main.

WANTED—

Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED—BY MARRIED COUPLE, POSItion together in private family; man to care for horses, lawn or garden, and wife as cook or general housework; experienced; country preferred. 822½ E. FIFTH ST., room 15. 18

WANTED—

Help, Female.

WANTED—

Situations, Male.

WANTED—WHITE AMERICAN AS RANCH hand, carpenter by trade; good veterinary surgeon, hot-house expert; widow preferred, where whole time may be devoted to interest of ranch. Address R, box 24, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED — TELEPHONE YOUR WANT ads. Ring up Press One any time of day or night and The Times will give prompt and careful attention. Rate 1 cent a word each insertion. Minimum charge, 25 cents.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN DESIRES POSItion any capacity; college education; previous experience in banking, mining, clerical work and as salesman; eastern houses. Address K, box 25, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED—POSITION BY BOOK AND JOB printer with linotype experience, competent to fill either position, eastern reference. Address "OLSBORN," 1308 Magdalena st., city. 17

WANTED — GARDEN WORK OF ALL kinds contracted for; new places laid out; gardens cared for by the month; best references in city. MORRES, 421 W. Adams. Phone 7502. 21

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, GRADUATE IN medicine, desires position as medical attendant or male nurse; very best reference can be given. Address R, box 2, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED — GERMAN, 40 YEARS, WOULD like to work around private place for good home and small wages; good recommendation. Address J, box 90, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS PAINTER, DECOrator, paper hanger, kalsominer and hardwood finisher wants work, private or boss, city or country. FRANK, 808 E. Fifth st. 17

WANTED — HUSTLING OFFICE MAN would give four hours' evening work and some besides for very reasonable wages. Address R, box 20, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED — POSITION BY COMPETENT book-keeper, stenographer and typewriter; 12 years' experience; good references. Address P, box 56, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED—CARPENTER WANTS WORK. Repairs or new work done cheap and good workmanship for all. G. C. KEEVES, 153 S. Ave. 24. 'Phone Sunset East 36. 17

WANTED—SITUATION WITH JEWELRY firm by man who has been with Waltham Watch Co. last 15 years. Address P, box 72 TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED — JAPANESE, EXCELLENT cook, wants permanent situation in good family; only cook preferred. TOM, room 22, 134½ N. Spring st. 19

WANTED—POSITION AS NIGHT WATCH, where there is some clerical work or correspondence to do. Address R, box 13, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED — MACHINIST WITH EXPERIence in pipe fitting wants work of any kind. HULTQUIST, 133 E. THIRD ST. 17

WANTED—SITUATION; EXPERIENCED IN artistic iron works. Call 312 S. HILL. Home 6651. Gordon. 18

WANTED — SITUATION BY ALL-ROUND experienced cook. Sunset Blue 4852. E. J. SMITH. 17

WANTED—YOUNG MAN DESIRES POSItion; not particular. 'PHONE HOME 8906. 18

WANTED—

Situations, Female.

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAPERON OR companion in city or Pasadena, by refined southern woman; would accept room and board for self and husband as compensation; husband holds responsible position with one of the leading firms of Los Angeles. Address J, box 6, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PERMANENT POSITION BY competent book-keeper and stenographer, who is honest and sincere, making her employer's interests her interests. Address BOX 284, Whittier, Cal. 18

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG WOMAN at housework where she can attend evening school; has reference; first-class work. Apply at MRS. HAWLEY'S, 254 S. Broadway. 17

WANTED—POSITION AS PIANO ACCOMpanist with orchestra or teacher by a lady who is a musician and good sight reader. Address P, Box 77, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED — POSITION BY GRADUATED nurse as companion or managing housekeeper. reference. Address K, Box 5, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—THE CARE OF CHILDREN BY middle-aged lady willing to assist in piano and German lessons. Address R, box 15, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BY AMERICAN WOMAN, washing or cleaning by the day, or washing to take home. PHONE PARK 291. 17

WANTED—TO PLAY PIANO, ACCOMpaniment to violin, for dances or dancing school. Address MUSIC, 1202 E. Seventh.

WANTED—SITUATION AS HOUSEKEEPER in widower's home by middle-aged eastern lady. Address H, box 47, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD GERMAN COOK AND housekeeper wants place in private family. J. GARVORSKI, 808 E. Fifth st. 17

WANTED—POSITION HOTEL COOK AND helper together; city. Address or call, ARGYLE HOTEL, Second and Olive. 17

WANTED—SITUATION BY NEAT AMERIcan woman for general housework; references; $25. Phone HOME 4532. 17

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG SWEDish girl for general housework; city references, $30. Phone HOME 4532. 17

WANTED—SEWING BY THE DAY OR will take work home. SEAMSTRESS, 375 MACY ST. Home phone 1924.

WANTED—MISS WEAVER, EMPLOYMENT office, 306½ S. Broadway, furnishes reliable help. MAIN 974; HOME 6332. 29

WANTED — POSITION AS WORKING housekeeper; best of references. 124 LATROVE AVE. 17

WANTED—

Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED — BRIGHT SOLICITORS FOR "War Between Russia and Japan," by Murat Halstead; indorsed by leading men of the nation; big book; enormous demand; thousand illustrations; big profits; outfit free. THE DOMINION COMPANY, Dept. A, Chicago. 21

WANTED—AGENTS OR SCHOOL BOYS; make big money quick, selling "The Wonder Toy;" every boy buys on sight; skims flyer, shoots arrow, spins top. Write quick. WEAKLEY & CO., 3749 Lake ave., Chicago. 17

WANTED—GOOD SOLICITOR FOR ACCIdent insurance; good proposition and exclusive territory to right man. Address N, box 51, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—

Partners.

WANTED—SITUATION AS BOOK-KEEPER by an expert accountant, with a first-class wholesale or retail grocery house or lumber company, 20 years' experience as book-keeper, city, and traveling salesman; Al Colorado and California references, health good, willing to work and will accept situation at either of above occupations. Address P.O. BOX 36, Anaheim, Cal. 17

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $1000 TO MANufacture and operate advertising machine; new and novel machine, and a big money maker; will give control to right party; answer at once, otherwise I shall go East to interest capital. Address C, box 39, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED—A PARTNER TO GIVE $3000 FOR a half interest in a well established business; will clear $400 monthly; only those meaning business and who have the cash need apply. Address N, box 46, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—3 MORE PARTIES TO COMplete 10; investment $10 a month; total $150; in mining enterprise that will put you on velvet for the rest of your days. Address H, box 24, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED—A PARTNER WITH ABILITY and some money in a well established and good paying real estate office. Call at 320½ S. Broadway. THE BOWMAN REAL ESTATE CO.

WANTED—PARTY WITH $1500 TO JOIN IN enterprise; only two in Los Angeles; the fullest investigation; references given. Address R, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED—RELIABLE YOUNG MAN AS partner with $25 in a business that will pay him $50 per month. Address R, box 14, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED—A PARTNER IN REAL ESTATE business; have more than I can do alone. For particulars call 232 BRADBURY BLDG.

WANTED—A PARTNER WITH $200 FOR A well-paying manufacturing business. Address CLARK & CO., 608½ S. Broadway. 17

WANTED—YOUNG MAN DERMATOLOGIST desires a lady partner. $250 required. Address Y, box 42, TIMES OFFICE. 21

WANTED—

To Rent.

WANTED—MARCH 1, COMPLETELY FURnished cottage or flat, 5 rooms, Westlake district, four in family, two children, 11 and 5. Address, with location and price, BOX 622, Station C. 17

WANTED — TO RENT UNFURNISHED modern 8-room house and barn for a year; close in; will pay $30 month; give full description. Address R, box 7, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED—LARGE UNFURNISHED ROOM in rooming house, close in, by two ladies; permanent if suited. Address P, Box 99, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED—

Rooms.

WANTED—TWO OR THREE ROOMS FOR light housekeeping; furnished or unfurnished for man and wife; within walking distance of First and Spring; state price; reference if required. Address P, Box 91, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED—BY MAN AND WIFE, NO CHILdren, two clean, airy furnished rooms for light housekeeping, in private family; near business center, but elevated; style not paid for. Address D., 528 GLADYS AVE. 18

WANTED—

Rooms with Board.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WISHES BOARD and room, rates reasonable, within five minutes' walk of First and Broadway. Address R, box 18, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED—

To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—A BUYER FOR A GREAT BARGAIN. A Maple-avenue corner with two adjoining lots and a house of 5 rooms in first-class condition; sewer, gas and electricity; corner lot is ripe for a business house. Owner must have money, and will sacrifice. Price $3500. Address N, box 86, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE. Lot well located in the southwest; will give good Oldsmobile in perfect condition, last year's machine; will give the right party a good trade. O. F. SCHERER, 123 S. Broadway. 21

WANTED—"WE CAN SELL ANY PROPERTY WORTH THE PRICE." "If your price is right," LIST YOUR PROPERTY WITH FREDERICK A. HOLMES & CO., 417 MASON OPERAHOUSE. HOME 8272.

WANTED—THE PROPERTY YOU OFFER FOR SALE. RAPID, RELIABLE SELLING. HIGHEST REFERENCES. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 123 S. HILL ST., Wright & Callender Bldg.

WANTED—TO BUY IN THE SOUTHWEST, a cottage of 5 or 6 rooms, for all cash; must be new or in fair condition and in good neighborhood. Give full particulars for attention. Address N, box 53, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED — CALL AND SEE THE NEW system; property sold within six days after listing with us; loans on all kinds of real estate; nothing too big. THE BULLETIN, 314 W. Fourth st., room 123. Home 8949.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE GOOD, WELL-located home of 9 or 10 rooms, Los Angeles or Pasadena, and trade for part my law library of 700 vols. T. S. TOMPKINS, Dodworth Bldg., Pasadena.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE; CASH FOR YOUR PROPERTY; WHAT HAVE YOU TO OFFER? WE CAN SELL IT. CALL AND SEE US. A. T. JERGINS & CO., 508 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—LOT ON 53D OR 54TH STS., BEtween Walrath and South Park ave., cheap for cash. Address D. W. EWING, 1045 S. Hill st.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN, DERMATOLOgist, desires a lady partner; $250 required. Address N, box 42, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED—IF NOT, WHY NOT? List you real estate with WM. EDGAR HOEL, room 15, Gordon Bldg., 206½ South Broadway. California and Ohio ad. 18

WANTED—TO PURCHASE HOUSE WITH four bedrooms; give cash price and location. Address N, box 97, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO BUY FOR CASH, NICE close-in lot for building purposes. IRISH & CHANDLER, 119½ S. Spring st. 21

WANTED — TO PURCHASE SIX-ROOM house, $300 down, $20 per month. Address R, box 28, TIMES OFFICE. 17

WANTED—TO PURCHASE ANY GOOD CITY property; will pay cash. W. H. OBEAR, 401-402 Johnson Bldg.

WANTED—

To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED—TO BUY SECOND HAND FURniture in any quantity; if you have one piece or a house full we will pay you one-third more than others. 'Phone Main 1117 Home 2154. COLYEAR'S, 322 S. Main.

WANTED — TO PURCHASE A ROOMING-house if price and location suits; your money is ready. Address 205 MASON OPERAHOUSE, or Tel. Home 1844.

WANTED TO BUY FOR CASH, HIGHEST price paid for furniture, grocery or merchandise stores, etc. RHOADES & REED, 143 W. Fifth.

WANTED — FURNITURE; WILL PAY more cash than any one. GODDARD, 508 S. Broadway. Home 'Phone 1594. Sunset M. 3444.

WANTED — OLD INDIAN BASKETS AND antiques at 46 N. LOS ROBLES AVE., Pasadena. 18

WANTED — SECOND-HAND CLOTHING, shoes, etc., highest prices. HOME 7790. RED 8041. 22

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEATHER beds. 1169 E. 7TH. 'Phone Black 3151.

WANTED—A HAND POWER FEED CUTter. Apply 603 SAN PEDRO ST. 17

WANTED—

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—PRIZE ESTIMATES; EARN A prize on your judgment. See Times' special offer in another column for nearest correct estimates of number of separate "Liner" announcements which will appear in all the Los Angeles newspapers during week ending February 20.

WANTED—TELEPHONE YOUR "WANT" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset PRESS ONE, Home EXCHANGE TWO.

WANTED—YOU TO SEE GOODWIN BROS. wall paper, 10c papers cut to 7½c and 5c; gilt, 10c; embossed gilt, 12½c; fine tapestry effects, 35c. 623 S. SPRING ST. 'Phone Home 2765; Main 2582.

WANTED—IF YOU WANT TO BUILD ANYthing, call up ROBT. D. COATES, 742 E. 27th st. Practical builder. Home 8122; Sunset West 585. 29

WANTED—SQUARE PIANO; MUST BE cheap, spot cash; state name and price. Address W. DOULAND, 1830 W. 11th.

WANTED—SECOND-HAND SURVEYOR'S level, etc. Address box 314, SANTA ANA, CAL. 21

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Rooms.

TO LET—NOTICE—THE HERMOSA, 338 Maple ave., will hereafter be known as the B. & C., under the management of Bowen & Chamberlin; every room has been renovated, nicely papered, painted and refurnished with velvet carpets, new mattresses and in charge of a competent housekeeper, Mrs. Rising, who will gladly show you through the house. You will find our prices low, considering the location and accommodations received, as we will run a first-class house and first-class tenants solicited only. We will have six suites for light housekeeping, with gas ranges, baths, instantaneous heaters which will afford hot and cold water at all times. The remaining rooms will include single rooms and large front rooms which will be rented by the day, week or month at reasonable rates. See housekeeper or BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg., owners.

TO LET — ELEGANTLY FURNISHED rooms, single or en suite, with or without baths, hot and cold running water in every room; new hotel, new furniture, furnace heat in every room; elevator service, bell boy service; rates very reasonable; hotel under new management. Call at HOTEL CECIL, corner First and Olive sts., Mrs. E. Lyons, Manager. Formerly manager Ontario Hotel, Ontario. Dining-room attached for regular boarders. Also a la carte. Home phone Priv. Ex. 18.

TO LET—NEW BUILDING, JUST FINISHed, hot and cold water in every room, hardwood floors, gas heaters, electric lights new furniture; free baths and phone rooms; ten dollars and up. 30 SOUTH FAIR OAKS AVE., Pasadena, center of city. 18

TO LET—NEW, BEAUTIFUL FURNISHED sunny room for 2; strictly private family; home cooking; electric lights, telephone, private bath, hot and cold water; three car lines. 1251½ S. FLOWER. Home 5490. 18

TO LET — NEW MANAGEMENT; BEST furnished house on Broadway; thoroughly renovated; porcelain baths; ALL OUTSIDE ROOMS; $3 per week and up. 137 S. BROADWAY. Home 'Phone 3801. 17

TO LET — ELEGANTLY FURNISHED rooms and newly furnished flat, with every convenience, to let to parties only; lovely front room, suitable for two. 1151½ GRAND AVE. 'Phone West 3209. 18

TO LET—FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHed rooms, flats, cottages. Call at CITY ROOM DIRECTORY, 315 W. Fourth. We can suit you in any part of the city. No charges for information. 21

TO LET—$16 A MONTH, 3 ROOMS, HOUSEkeeping, furnished complete; new; elegant; hot water; gas range; porcelain bath; telephone; close in. 334 S. FIGUEROA. Also 204 N. FREMONT AVE. 1

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL SUNNY ROOMS for housekeeping; also sleeping rooms in very fine place. All modern conveniences. Choice location; four car lines; very cheap. 1702 S. FLOWER. 17

TO LET—AT THE AYERS, HOUSEKEEPing suites, large rooms with kitchen and private bath, double or single suites, everything thoroughly furnished. THE AYERS, 447 S. Grand. 17

TO LET—

Rooms.

TO LET—$18, THREE FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping, bay window, grate, piano, sewing machine. Call between 10 and 3; no children. 345 N. UNION, room 25. 17

TO LET—HOUSEKEEPING SUITE, THREE rooms, newly furnished, sunny, porch; every convenience; only desirable, permanent parties need appy. 611 W. NINTH. 18

TO LET—FOUR NICE UNFURNISHED rooms for housekeeping, bath and gas, telephone free, $14, at 1908 E. FOURTH ST., Macy $1. Near Hollenbeck Park. 17

TO LET—FURNISHED, 3-ROOM FLAT, back screen porch, closet, pantry, porcelain bath; also one $8 room. 351 S. GRAND AVE. 17

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, single or en suite, with or without private bath; also transient, at 423 S. BROADWAY. 17

TO LET—3 NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS for housekeeping; bay windows and hot baths; $30 per month. 1340 S. HOPE ST. 18

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED ROOM with bath for gentleman; also two or three-room flat for housekeeping. 110½ N. HOPE. 17

TO LET—AT HIGHLAND PARK, 5 ROOMS, with private bath, rent reasonable; barn if necessary. Apply 3511 PASADENA AVE.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, BY day, week or month. THE NEW ATLAS, 142½ N. Main. Under new management. 18

TO LET—$10 MONTH, CLEAN, UNFURnished housekeeping suites, private bath, apartment-house. 2826 DOWNEY AVE. 20

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS IN modern flat; suitable for light housekeeping; rates reasonable. 319 W. PICO ST. 19

TO LET—NICE, CLEAN SUNNY ROOMS, housekeeping and others, $1.50 per week and up. Apply 1016 E. SEVENTH ST. 22

TO LET—UNFURNISHED, ONE LARGE front room with running water; also a front suite. 218 N. MAIN ST. 19

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, CENTER of town; $1.15 per week and up; 25c and 50c per night. 311 W. THIRD ST. 20

TO LET—3 ROOMS AND BATH, FURNISHed for housekeeping, with bars; $12; no children. 938 E. PICO ST. 19

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, CENTER of town; $1.50 per week and up; 25c and 50c per night. 311 W. THIRD ST. 29

TO LET—SUNNY FRONT ROOM, NEWLY furnished, complete for housekeeping; everything clean. 757½ WALL ST. 18

TO LET—CLOSE IN, BEAUTIFUL VIEW and sunny two rooms for housekeeping; no children. 328 CLAY ST. 17

TO LET—WITH PRIVATE FAMILY THREE sunny furnished rooms, also half of furnished cottage. 519 TEMPLE ST.

TO LET — FOUR NEWLY FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping, gas, bath, south front. 1015 W. TEMPLE. 17

TO LET — CHEAP, NICELY FURNISHED rooms, with light housekeeping privileges. 841½ S. SPRING ST. 18

TO LET—FURNISHED FRONT ROOMS, private residence, $1.50 and $2 weekly; gentlemen. 1519 S. HILL. 19

TO LET—FURNISHED, 3 SINGLE ROOMS, close in and genteel neighborhood. MIERS, 221 Johnson Block. 17

TO LET—ONE, TWO OR THREE SUNNY newly furnished housekeeping rooms. Cottage, 219 W. 12TH. 17

TO LET—FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHed rooms fr light husekeeping. Apply 650 S. GRAND AVE. 21

TO LET—NICE FRONT SUNNY HOUSEkeeping rooms, everything complete. 913 MAPLE AVE. 18

TO LET — SINGLE ROOMS AND HOUSEkeeping suite; reasonable. 804½ W. THIRD, corner Flower. 18

TO LET—3 FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms; also room, suitable for gentlemen. 1057 S. HOPE. 17

TO LET—3 FURNISHED BEDROOMS, 1115 S. LOS ANGELES ST. Home 'hone 5940. Sunset West 328. 17

TO LET—OPPOSITE HOLLENBECK PARK, newly furnished rooms, $10, $12. 411½ S. CUMMINGS. 20

TO LET—3 NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping. 705 E. 21ST ST. Home 6315. 17

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOM, $6 PER month; light housekeeping if desired. 234 W. 18TH. 17

TO LET—3 FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHed housekeeping rooms close in, at 326½ CLAY ST. 17

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED TWO-ROOM suite in cottage, sunny porch, yard. 1345 RICH ST. 17

TO LET—NEW FURNISHED SUNNY ROOM; also 3 unfurnished for housekeeping. 220 W. 11TH. 23

TO LET — TWO LARGE ROOMS WITH water; walls plastered. Inquire 1857 W. 24TH ST. 17

TO LET—FURNISHED DESIRABLE SINGLE rooms, new and close in on hill. 332 S. OLIVE. 17

TO LET — FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING suites, absolute cleanliness. 602½ S. FIGUEROA. 22

TO LET—612 S. BROADWAY; COMFORTable rooms; reasonable; some housekeeping. 17

TO LET—A NICE FURNISHED FRONT room, $12 per month. 987 S. BROADWAY. 17

TO LET—AT HOTEL ALCAZAR, 420 S. Main, a front suite to 3 or 4 gentlemen. 17

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED ROOM TO one or two young men. 1426 MAPLE AVE. 18

TO LET — CASA BLANCA, ONE LARGE front suite and board. 850 S. OLIVE.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, by day or month. 115 W. SIXTH. 19

TO LET—ONE SIDE OF DOUBLE COTtage; no children. 308 OMAR AVE. 17

TO LET—TWO SUNNY FURNISHED FRONT rooms. 323 W. SECOND ST. 17

TO LET—

Flats.

TO LET—ON ANGELENO HEIGHTS FLAT, four large sunny rooms and bath; fruit and back porch; hot and cold water; gas range; shades; water paid; 300 feet to street cars; 13 minutes to First and Spring; only responsible parties wanted. 937 W. EDGEWARE ROAD. 17

TO LET—FLATS. $20—5-room flat, 1018 W. First. $20—5-room flat, 1118 Diamond st. $20—5-room flat, 1016½ W. First. WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Block.

TO LET—ELEGANT 5 AND 6-ROOM FLATS, finely decorated parlors and dining-room, sideboard, china closet, mantel piece, strictly modern, at 463-465½ Lake st. near Sixth, Westlake. Key next door.

TO LET—TWO NICE NEW, FIVE-ROOM flats on East 16th street, near Central avenue, rents $17 and $18. SCHENCK, TATUM & SCHENCK, 139 S. Broadway.

TO LET—FLAT, $35; A NEW FIVE-ROOM modern flat, ground floor, at 113 North Hope st., walking distance; no children. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET—CHOICE MODERN 5-ROOM UPPER FLAT, NO. 1219¾ GIRARD ST. KEY AT 1217 GIRARD. RENT $22 MONTH. MINES & FARISH, 404 BRADBURY. 18

TO LET—NEW FLAT, 4 ROOMS, SEPArate entrance for each room; 5 minutes' walk; also 6-room furnished house; gilt-edge. Call at 929 MAPLE AVE. 17

TO LET—NEW FLAT, WITH GAS AND electricity, and all conveniences; close to car service; near Seventh and Central. Inquire 1219 EASTON. 19

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TO LET—4-ROOM LOWER FLA., REASONably close in, on Orange st.; rent $21. SCHENCK, TATUM & SCHENCK, 139 S. Broadway.

TO LET—5-ROOM MODERN FLAT AT 105 N. Fremont ave.; $18 per month. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg.

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED MODERN, sunny 7-room flat, 1213 W. SEVENTH ST., reduced rent. Phone 7253. 18

TO LET—IN BEAUTIFUL SUNNY SIDE, new, 6-room flat, close in, no children. Inquire 871 S. FIGUEROA. 22

TO LET—EXTRA NICE NEW AND MODern flat of 6 large rooms. 1420 S. LOS ANGELES ST. 17

TO LET—NICE FLAT 4 ROOMS AND BATH, Adults. Inquire 446½ WALL ST. 17

TO LET—

Rooms and Board.

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No. 8, Alvarado, east front, 9-room house, large reception hall, all large rooms and numerous and large, hence light and airy; yellow pine finish, beautiful grill and fretwork decorations, all lower floors have oak floors, oak boarders, extra large size grates and switch system; $5250. W. A. VARCOE & CO., 217 W. SECOND ST. 17

A SACRIFICE—$5000, two blocks from Westlake; lot 50x150 to alley; modern house, east front, oak floors, decorations, furnace new, and newly papered throughout; less than one year ago at cost of $6000. House and lot worth at least $7500; a Satisfactory reason will be given for $2500 sacrifice. W. A. VARCOE & CO., 217 W. SECOND ST. 17

$1000 DOWN, BALANCE EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS TO SUIT, ON PICO HEIGHTS, FIVE EIGHT-ROOM HOME. APARTMENT that will DOUBLE in TWO YEARS. Santa Monica 15th st. car to Oxford ave. No. 1614. Price $6500. 20

6-room cottage, modern, rented for $20 month. $400 cash balance time. 1327 EAST ELEVENTH.

5-room house, lot 40x147. No. 127 TWENTY-FIRST ST.

6-room modern, lot 50x150, corner on Trinity.

W. A. JOHNSON & CO., 109 So. Broadway.

BARGAIN; NEW, MODERN, 8-room, in excellent neighborhood; 3 rooms, with beautiful bath room, hall; large closets; pantry, front and back porches, gas connections, electric light fixtures, cement walks, lawn sodded. Will sell at a bargain if taken at once. Small payment down, balance like rent. 1078 E. 28TH ST.

CALL AT NO. 426 E. 20TH ST. and see the 6-room cottage thoroughly finished throughout; have taken to our office and place it for sale at only $2750 if you want near 2 car lines, cheap for cash.

GUS B. HILL, For Strong & Dickinson, 135 S. Broadway.

COTTAGES—

A bargain in a beautiful cottage; every minute detail to taste and fastidiousness located in the C. ADAMS district.

Or homes in any part of the city.

W. H. OBEAR, 612 Grant Bldg. Ph. 1714.

SIX-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, good as new, hardwood floors throughout, tiled bathroom, electric lights, gas and coal stove, fine basement, furnace, electric bell, porcelain sink, set tubs, screens, shades, etc.; lot 50x150; two feet above sidewalk; in the heart of choicest residence district; owner compelled to sell. Address P, box 20700, Address M, box 20700, TIMES OFFICE. 17

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—BY ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (LTD.), 334 CURRIER BLDG.

WE HANDLE BARGAINS ONLY.

$2400—New 6-room cottage in the southwest; finished in weathered oak, with a large living-room on the front, beamed ceilings with book shelves built in, and a beautiful rustic brick mantel.

$2550—63 E. 21st st., near San Pedro st.; nearly new, 1½-story house, containing six rooms beside sewing room; house well built, in fine neighborhood, and a bargain at this price. Only $2550.

$2600—A new and strictly modern 5-room cottage, situated in the southwest. This cottage is finely finished and contains every modern convenience. Close to two car lines, on good street. Will also sell all the furniture, which is new and A1, for $300 additional, if desired.

$3150—On a fine, close-in corner, in excellent neighborhood, and near two car lines, fine new 1½ story house, containing 5 rooms and bath on first floor, and 3 rooms on second floor; fine large veranda; beautiful large dining-room with china closet and fine brick mantel; everything new and modern throughout; built by the owner for a home, but his business compels him to leave Los Angeles; property could not be duplicated for less than $500 more than the price asked.

$3625—Fine new 5-room cottage on Crocker street, one-half block from Seventh street. Very close-in property, and a fine block. Lot 30x132 ft. to alley. Cottage is new, modern in every respect, and cannot be duplicated for less than $3800. The lot is cheap at $2100, making a valuation of $3900 cash for the property now, and it will advance $400 in 12 months. The owner is about to leave the city, and will sacrifice for $3625. At this figure it is one of the cheapest close-in properties on the market. $250 worth of new furniture will be sold for $200.

$4600—In Westlake, a new residence, containing nine rooms and reception hall, on lot 50x150. House piped for furnace; rooms well arranged; everything new and modern. A bargain at this figure. This property can be had on easy terms if so desired.

ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE (LTD.)
MEMBERS L. A. REALTY BOARD.
301 CURRIER BLDG.
'Phone Main 1377. Home 1377.

FOR SALE—HOUSES! HOUSES! HOUSES!

Two new and modern 8-room houses, (one of which is furnished, ready to move in,) $4000 each; houses have polished floors, tinted and hand decorated, fixtures, brick mantels, buffets, two toilets, front and rear stairways, cement basements, situated in the most progressive part of the city near Adams st.; others of same class ask $4500. Telephone and in numbers, you can see them at any time. Will make best of terms.

No. 1219 New Hampshire, seven rooms, new, modern, high ground, high lot, fine view, $4250.

We have a list of 15 choice modern houses on Arapahoe and Magnolia, all on high ground, east and west fronts, large lots and plenty of sunshine, $4500 to $8000; can be seen at any time; also a few fine lots from $1250 to $1500.

High corner lot on car line, 103x122 to alley; will sell as a whole or divide; fine for flats, homes or combination houses.

INGRAM & BRIGGS, Builders, 1414 Arapahoe. 'Phone West 2344.

FOR SALE—ONLY $1700.

A nice homelike place of 5 rooms on Norwood st., a choice neighborhood.

$3000—A modern 2-story house of 6 rooms and hall on W. 23d st., large lot, cement cellar, good surroundings, easy terms.

$3200—The finest cottage for the money in the city, new and elegant, near Adams and Hoover, could not be duplicated for the money.

$2600—A big bargain near Adams and Figueroa, 7 rooms, modern.

$2750—Another bargain on Toberman st., modern 5-room house worth $4250, must be sold.

$4750—A handsome extra well built strictly modern dwelling in choice location, on high ground, contains 8 large rooms, oak floors, expensive fixtures, a genuine sacrifice at the price.

We are headquarters for homes in the south and west. It will pay you to see us before you buy.

A. T. JERGINS & CO., 256 S. Broadway.
Members of the Realty Board.

FOR SALE—
$3300—Corner lot, 10-room house, Walnut near Central ave.; fine location; school, church and all conveniences; this is a splendid buy. L.
$3100—Santee near Washington, eight-room house, newly furnished throughout; walks, sewer and everything; rent $45; bargain. 175.
$6800—A modern flat building, new and well rented, pays 15 per cent.; near Blaine and 16th. 270.
$8700—10-room residence and 4-room cottage, fine condition, elegant home or income; Grand ave. and 15th. 269.
W. H. OBEAR, 401 Johnson Bldg., Fourth and Broadway

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FOR SALE—
A FINE BUY

NICE 5-ROOM COTTAGE ON VERNON AVE. BETWEEN MAIN ST., BLVD. and S. PARK AVE., LARGE LOT, CLEAN SIDE STREET, FINE WELL WITH WINDMILL AND TANK; TWO CAR LINES; WORTH FULLY $2400; WILL SELL AT ONCE FOR $2450; TERMS.

GUS B. HILL, FOR STRONG & DICKINSON 135 S. BROADWAY

FOR SALE—$10,500.

S. W. corner 8th and Rampart, new, elegant 12-room house, tinted walls, coved ceilings, large reception hall, combination fixtures, hardwood floors, furnace and celler; lot 65x135; clean corner, high ground and view superb; also lot adjoining on west belonging to same estate, and can be bought in conjunction, making total frontage 118x135, for

$12,500.

D. F. M'GARRY, Agent for Executors, 301 Bryson Block.

FOR SALE—$2250.—CHOICE AND CHEAP—$2250.

Business takes owner from city, and he tells us to sell at a loss; this is your chance to get a real bargain; healthful and beautiful residence section; large lot, nice 6-room cottage with largest bathroom in city, having every modern convenience; worth at least $2750; yours for $2250. Come in and see it if you want a home on Central ave. at a sacrifice.

GUS B. HILL, For Strong & Dickinson, 135 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
VERY NICE FOR LITTLE MONEY. WANT A GOOD CHEAP HOME?

Strictly modern and a bargain, new, five rooms and reception hall, cellar, fine big lot, combination stone and plaster cottage, with leaded windows. We are exclusive agents, and property must be sold. Get a fine home cheap. Only one block from San Pedro car line, and close in. Let us show it to you; $2600.

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FOR SALE—
A GOOD COTTAGE AT A LOW PRICE. $2500.

On Vermont ave. right near Pico; lot 50x150 and worth $3000; cottage most new, modern, 6 rooms, small barn. Investigate and you will buy if you are desirous of getting a nice home in a good locality right near Moreland tract! See BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Bldg. Members Realty Board.

FOR SALE—
THE BEST COTTAGE BUY IN CITY. $2300—ONLY $2300.

6-room, most new, modern cottage, lot 50 x130, on 30th st., right near Maple ave.; $500 cash, balance monthly.

ANOTHER BARGAIN. $1500—ONLY $1500.

Two-story, 6-room house, bath, toilets, electric lights, gas and fixtures, near Hoover and 30th sts. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, Members Realty Board, 440 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—HOUSES—
$2100—5 rooms, 1710 Normandie.
$2750—6 rooms, 1671 Normandie.
$3400—8 rooms, 1678 Roosevelt.
$6000—7 rooms, 1714 Lenox st.
$5000—8 rooms, 1750 Lenox st.
$4250—6 rooms, 1681 Roosevelt st.
Santa Monica car, 16th st., to Roosevelt st.
WEISENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Bldg. 1

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE—1127 SANTEE ST., TWO FIVE-room flats, hardwood floors, superior plumbing; lot 50x150 to alley; rents for $23 per month; will sell for $7000. It is a bargain at that price. Also house of 8 rooms, 726 W. Jefferson st.; lot 45x132; rents for $25; a good buy at $3250. Address W. H. HOLABIRD, 514 Bradbury Block, Owner.

FOR SALE—SOUTHWEST COR. VERMONT ave. and 21st st., lot 45x180, 9 rooms, oak floors, finished pine, trimmed in white and cedar, cement porch and steps, combination light fixtures, stationary wash tubs, complete up to date house for $5500; another house, cheaper. M. O. THEMAN, owner, 3111 Vermont ave. Home Phone 7747. 21

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FOR SALE—HOUSES.

$4500—8-room house, southwest corner of Daly and Manitou.

$5000—7-room house, northeast corner of Lucas and Fifth.

Either of these houses are reasonably worth $6000. ALLISON BARLOW, 217 S. Broadway, room 126. 21

FOR SALE—I CAN BUILD YOU A STRICTly modern 5-room cottage, with gas, electricity, polished floors, china closet, mantel, screens, shades, porcelain bath, marble washbowl, electric fixtures, etc., for $1300; 6 rooms, $1400; terms can be arranged if desired; plans free. E. S. WILLIAMSON, Contractor and Builder, 202 Grant Bldg. 17

FOR SALE—FOR $2700: NOW IS YOUR OPportunity; a new and modern cottage of 6 rooms, must be sold at once; situated in the growing district, southwest, near three electric car lines; do not fail to see this; you can get this above on terms if you prefer. See THOMAS LLOYD, 3702 Wesley ave. 20

FOR SALE—ALMOST LIKE FINDING IT—In southwest, 5-room modern cottage newly furnished three months ago. Owner going east; hence offers it at $2450 cash if sold this week. The lot and cottage alone is worth more. W. A. VARCOE & CO., 217 W. SECOND ST. 17

FOR SALE—ROUSES.

$2100—New modern cottage, 5 rooms, porcelain bath, walls tinted, lot 50x122 feet, southwest, on high ground, fine location, $20 monthly. Take 16th-st. Santa Monica car to 1710 Normandie st.

WIESENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Block. 1

FOR SALE—$4500; WILL BUY 1¼-ACRE piece of land with 9-room house, barn, well, windmill, tank, trees and shrubbery, in good location, southwest; will take smaller place in part payment. See THOMAS LLOYD, 3702 Wesley ave.

RAIN, BUSINESS AND ADVERTISING.

A Chance to Figure.

Here is a novel and interesting thing!

"Liners," including "Wants" and other classified advertisements, should, with the resultant business activity which will follow rains in the Southwest, increase somewhat in number and volume in all Los Angeles newspapers, morning and evening.

This advertising feature of The Times has come to be a pretty sure business barometer of the community. The Times regularly prints more "Liners" than any paper in the United States, barring only the New York Herald.

The Times is testing each week the judgment of people who are watching business conditions in Los Angeles, and the Southwest, as determined by this barometer, by offering small cash prizes to those who make the nearest estimates as to the number of bona fide separate classified announcements that will appear in each of the five Los Angeles daily newspapers during the week ending February 27.

As a guide upon which to base estimates, The Times printed for the week ending January 30, a total of..... 8438

The total number printed by the four other Los Angeles newspapers [two morning and two evening] during the same period was .. 6806

SECOND WEEK'S ESTIMATES.

[NOTE: The award of prizes for the first week's estimates will be made in the issue of The Sunday Times Feb. 21.]

MY ESTIMATE:

[Make your "Liner" estimates as follows:]

I estimate that the number of classified announcements that will be printed during the week beginning Sunday, February 21, and ending Saturday, February 27, in the five Los Angeles daily papers, will be:

In The Times..... In the four other papers combined.....

(Name).....

(Address).....

Fill these blanks carefully and mail to The Times "Liner" Prize Department.

All estimates must be in the Times office not later than midnight of Saturday, February 20. They will be numbered in the order received and the prizes awarded accordingly. Everybody is invited to send in estimates, and each as many as desired.

The prizes to be awarded will be as follows:

For the nearest estimate as to number of separate announcements printed in The Times for the week named and for the nearest estimate of the number printed in the other four papers combined	$2.50
For the second nearest estimate	2.00
For the third nearest estimate	1.50
For the fourth nearest estimate	1.00
For the fifth nearest estimate	.75
For the sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth and tenth nearest estimates	.50 each

NOTE: The award of prizes will be based on the number of separate announcements appearing in The Times, stated alone, and the four other Los Angeles newspapers in combination during the week named, count being made on the number of advertisements bearing signatures and addresses, or box numbers. For instance, an advertisement containing half a dozen items, and bearing a signature at the end, will of course count as one advertisement only.

FOR SALE—
Houses.

FOR SALE — ARE YOU THINKING OF building? If so, bring in your plans and let me give you a figure. I can build you a strictly modern, 5-room cottage from $1300 up; 6 rooms, $1500; can arrange terms if desired. Plans free. E. S. WILLIAMSON, Contractor and Builder, 202 Grant Bldg. 18

FOR SALE—FINE MODERN 7-ROOM COTtage, close in, lot 50x125; 1626 W. 12th st., between Union and Burlington; this cottage will be sold on very easy terms and is decided bargain. Go see it and then call on JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third. 20

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE. IF YOU want to get the true value of properties in the southwest, part of city call and see THOMAS LLOYD, who has been engaged in selling property in this locality for the past 17 years' office, 3702 WESLEY AVE.

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD WITHIN SIX days, by the Bulletin Real Estate, a nice cosy home, with all modern improvements, near Chester Place, $3500. What do you say to that? 314 W. FOURTH ST., room 123. 'Phone 8949. 19

FOR SALE—$2300; $300 DOWN, BALANCE monthly; new 5-room cottage, gas, electric fixtures, polished floors, porcelain bath, marble washbowl, screens, shades, etc. Call 202 Grant Bldg. E. S. WILLIAMSON, Owner-Builder. 19

FOR SALE—COTTAGE AT BARGAIN— Lot 50x140 to 20-ft. alley and cottage 14x42x28x18, new, for only $600 cash. Boyle Heights. M. W. ATWOOD, 612 Grant Bldg. Ph. 1714. 19

FOR SALE — A STRICTLY UP-TO-DATE modern cottage, just completed; No. 1810 Reid st.; will build on adjoining lots to suit purchaser and arrange terms. E. S. WILLIAMSON, 202 Grant Bldg. 19

FOR SALE—FOR OUT-OF-TOWN CLIENTS, two 6-room flat buildings, Ruth ave., and other fine income and vacant city, mountain and seashore. J. H. M'LAUGHLIN, Attorney, 401 Bullard Block, city.

FOR SALE—MUST BE SOLD WITHIN SIX days, by the Bulletin Real Estate, 10-room house, near University, for $4000. How is that for a price? 314 W. FOURTH ST., room 123. 'Phone 8949. 19

FOR SALE — FINE MODERN 8-ROOM house, near Adams st., at a big bargain and on very easy terms; also one on Sixth st., between Westlake and city. Owner, 346 BRADBURY BLDG. 17

FOR SALE—MENLO PARK TRACT—Lovely home, 5 rooms, large reception hall, large lot; barn, alley, trees, shrubbery, lawn, chickens, etc. Leaving city. One-half cash. 807 E. 16TH ST. 21

FOR SALE — ELEGANTLY FURNISHED house; desirable location; two car lines; $9000. Address P, box 87, TIMES OFFICE. 17

FOR SALE — THAT ELEGANT 9-ROOM cottage at 1224 W. 20TH ST.

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—BARGAINS—
$2000—200 feet frontage, 6 blocks from Times office.
$650—40-foot lot inside San Pedro and Adams.
$600—40x140 to alley, Newton near Donabel.
$380—40x125 to alley, 39th near Central; easy terms, snap.
$925—Cheapest lot, Urmston tract.
W. H. OBEAR, 402 Johnson Bldg., Fourth and Broadway.

FOR SALE—
IN HIGHLAND PARK

Two new college buildings.
New st. cars on Monte Vista; transfers.
New street improvements everywhere.
Over 500 new houses completed.
Same old, salubrious climate.
Same old beautiful hills and mountains.
Same old prices on few lots left.
CORTELYOU & WHITCOMB TRACT.
Better get one, now it has rained.
CORTELYOU & WHITCOMB.
528-531 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—
BIG BARGAINS ON BEST STREETS.

$300 for a lot on Flower st.
$600 for a lot on Hope st.
$700 for a lot on Grand ave.
Choice residence lots on these splendid streets. Think of it!! Secure them at once.
GORDON & HUBBARD, Sole Agents, 442 Douglas Blk.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN: FOR SALE CHEAP; five finely situated lots near Temple st.; will sell separately if desired; 15 minutes' ride from First and Spring. See OWNER at 2329½ S. Spring, room 2. Phone Main 5602. Home 3196. No agents need call. 17

FOR SALE—SOME CHOICE TRACTS FOR subdivision; also some of the best lots in the city on installments; I have some of the best investments in the city to offer. It will pay you to see me before buying. H. PRESTON, 406-608 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—IN DE SOTO HEIGHTS, N.E. corner Wabash and Soto sts., $300 each; terms $10 cash, $10 a month, no interest. In Angeleno Heights, $500 to $600; terms $15 cash, $15 a month. ALLISON BARLOW, 217 S. Broadway, room 126. 21

FOR SALE—LOTS FOR FLATS CLOSE IN—I have three lots at an unusually fine bargain; choice locations and close in. See me at once. M. W. ATWOOD, 612 Grant Bldg. Ph. 1714.

FOR SALE—ACRE LOTS ON VERNON ave., between Main and Figueroa; very best of soil, cheapest property in that locality. O. SASSAMAN, owner, 3309 South Main.

FOR SALE — MOST ATTRACTIVE RESIDENCE SITE IN CITY, N. W. CORNER W. 9TH, ADDRESS OWNER, P. BOX 68, TIMES OFFICE. 21

FOR SALE—CLOSE IN LOTS WITH trees, liberal terms, assistance in building. MILES, Owner, Washington and Maple ave.

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
OWN YOUR OWN HOME.

CHEAPEST LOTS IN THE CITY.

SEE NEW PLAN TO SAVE RENT.

Just think of it; we will sell you a fine lot cheap for $20 down and $10 month between Main st. and South Park ave., near 2 car lines and all street work done, and let you live on the rear until you can build in front. Inquire about this at once. Lots selling rapidly and price will soon be advanced.

GUS B. HILL, Owner, 135 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—GOLF PARK TRACT BETWEEN 16th and Washington; cream of the nicest residence southwest, now selling fast. $300 per lot; will increase the same as Westlake lots; 4 years ago they sold for $800; now $2500; elegant, fine residences now finished, for sale in Golf Park. Take 16th-st. car to Roosevelt-st. WEISENDANGER, 221 Laughlin Block. 19

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THE MANUFACTURING SUBURB OF LOS ANGELES.

ONLY 22 MINUTES' RIDE FROM THE CENTER OF THE CITY.

500 EMPLOYEES WILL SOON BE AT WORK IN THE MANUFACTURING PLANT NOW BEING CONSTRUCTED ON THE PROPERTY.

DOLGEVILLE IS A SURE WINNER.

90 LOTS SOLD IN 18 DAYS—90

AGGREGATING OVER

$32,000

FOR A GOOD INVESTMENT BUY A MANUFACTURING SITE, WITH A SPUR FROM MAIN ELECTRIC CAR LINE TO EACH LOT.

$800 AND UP.

A BUSINESS LOT,

FROM $350 TO $650.

A FINE RESIDENCE LOT ON AN 80-FOOT AVE., AND ELECTRIC CAR LINE, GIVING MAGNIFICENT VIEW OF THE SURROUNDING COUNTRY,

FOR ONLY $300.

TAKE THE ALHAMBRA OR SAN GABRIEL CARS ON MAIN ST., TO DOLGEVILLE AND INVESTIGATE.

S. J. WHITE & CO., 313-314 JOHNSON BLDG., COR BROADWAY AND FOURTH ST.

ONEONTA (RESTFUL) PARK.

JUST SOUTH OF THE RAYMOND HOTEL.

THE MOST DELIGHTFUL PLACE FOR A SUBURBAN HOME IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

LAND COVERED WITH MAGNIFICENT LIVE OAKS, ORANGE AND LEMON ORCHARDS.

SITUATED ON THE FINEST ELECTRIC CAR SYSTEM (THE PASADENA SHORT LINE) IN THIS COUNTRY. 5-MINUTE SERVICE, ONLY 20 MINUTES' RIDE FROM CITY, AND ON THE HUNTINGTON DRIVE. A SERPENTINE AVENUE, WHICH WILL SOON BE COMPLETED FROM COLORADO ST., EAST PASADENA, TO ALHAMBRA ROAD, A DISTANCE OF OVER 5 MILES.

ONEONTA PARK IS DESTINED TO BECOME THE IDEAL HOME SUBURB OF LOS ANGELES. SEE IT.

S. J. WHITE & CO., 313-314 JOHNSON BLDG., COR BROADWAY AND FOURTH ST.

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FOR SALE—

$1500

GREAT BARGAIN.

13 large level lots, on Sunset Boulevard and Alvarado st., closer to the Courthouse than Westlake Park; Hollywood

Liners.

FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—
RIGHT IN LINE WITH THE CITY'S GROWTH TOWARD SAN PEDRO!
HERE, on the ROSECRANS TRACT, is the place you want to place your money for a quick doubling of values! FINEST ALFALFA, BERRY, WALNUT AND GENERAL FARMING LAND IN CALIFORNIA! PLENTY OF UNDERLYING IRRIGATION WATER AT MINIMUM COST FOR WELL, PUMPING PLANT, AND OPERATION! OVER FOUR THOUSAND MINER'S INCHES DEVELOPED IN THE LAST FEW YEARS, IN THIS GREAT "SAN PEDRO VALLEY" GARDEN SPOT! SEE our recently finished well, pumping about seventy inches of water! Subdivisions, 20 to 400 acres. YOUR OWN WELL AND PLANT ON YOUR OWN GROUND IS THE BEST WATER RIGHT ON EARTH, AND THE CHEAPEST! DRY OR WET, IT IS ALWAYS "YOURS TO COMMAND!" ALFALFA IS KING AND WE HAVE THE LAND!

"ROSECRANS HEIGHTS"—Close to TWO LINE ELECTRIC ROADS! Forty-five minutes to center. FIVE ACRE VILLA LOTS. Sightly elevations, fine climate, pure water, a few minutes' ride from leading beaches; and BUILDING RESTRICTIONS TO PROTECT YOU. For maps, etc., apply to F. B. WILDE, No. 331 DOUGLAS BUILDING, or address owner, C. F. ROSECRANS; P.O. box 300, CITY. 17

FOR SALE—CHICKEN RANCH IN BEAUTIFUL North Pasadena, altitude 1000; pure water, grand view; 5 acres on Los Robles ave., 3 miles north of Pasadena business center, 2 blocks east of Mt. Lowe electric line; 8-room plastered house, bath, toilet, nickeled plumbing, hot and cold water, reserve water supply tank; barn, shed, chicken-house and corrals, incubator house, incubator and brooder, cooking oven with kettle cemented in; servant's house; place is solid to full-bearing apricots, peaches, walnuts, berries; roses; ¼-acre eucalyptus grove; water piped all over place; price $4500; 300 pullets included. ELBERT JOHNSON, Real Estate, Insurance, Loans, Notary, North Pasadena. Telephone Suburban 28.

FOR SALE—$7500. WORTH $10,000.
We offer for sale 22 acres on Vermont ave., close to city limits with modern 10-room house, barn, windmill and tank, outhouses, family orchard, etc., for $7500. Two electric carlines pass the property. The soil is the best. Improvements are worth $5000. Land is cheap at $6000, yet we can sell the place for $7500. This is the greatest bargain in California. Land will be worth $1000 an acre in 5 years. Hurry up if you want a bargain.
A. T. JERGINS & CO.,
Sole Agents, 508 So. Broadway.

HOLLYWOOD.
FOR SALE—TWO FINE LOTS IN OCEAN View tract, Hollywood, at a bargain. D. Whitney, 712 Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE—
Lemon and Orange Groves.

FOR SALE—
Three years ago I came to California for my health. Bought a ten-acre ranch, five in oranges, five in lemons. Also five-acre ranch in oranges.
I have recovered my health and am going back East.
My ranches are first-class in every respect and paying big interest on the investment.
They are situated on Euclid ave., Ontario Colony, forty miles from Los Angeles. Electric cars pass the ranches.
They are both for sale, one for $9000, one for $4000. Will shade prices for quick sale.
GEORGE H. PULLMAN,
1050 E. Washington st.,
Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—
ORANGE GROVES.
$6000—5½ acres near Pomona; want renting property in city.
$15,000—22 acres navels and Valencias, nine years old, near Glendora, the natural home of the orange. This is very choice. Crop now on trees worth at least $3000. Take ⅓ in city property.
W. H. NEISWENDER,
430 Byrne Bldg.

FOR SALE—A SPLENDID 40-ACRE ORANGE grove, well improved, fine location; want good Iowa farm. EDWARD E. GILLEN & CO., Pomona, Cal. 18

FOR SALE—
Beach Property.

FOR SALE—THE FINEST PIECE OF beach property on the market. 100 foot front. As hotel site it can't be beat anywhere. Also some choice residence lots at Long Beach. These are snaps.
LIGHTFOOT & CO.,
219 Byrne Bldg.

FOR SALE—
SAN PEDRO.
12 per cent. net is good interest and only part of ground improved, and everyone knows San Pedro property is sure to increase; no better location in city. G. W. YOUNGWOOD, 304 S. Hill. 17

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—THE FINEST 5-ACRE corner in the world-renowned Los Angeles Olive-Growers' Association tract at Fernando, 22 miles from Los Angeles. The trees on this property are 10 years old, and are loaded with olives. The improvements consist of a nearly new 1½-story house, containing six rooms on first floor, all newly papered, with space for two large rooms to be finished in attic; house on brick foundation, with fine brick cellar; new windmill, 3000-gallon tank, tankhouse, barn, etc. A fine veranda on three sides of the house. There is ample water for all purposes. The improvements cost $2200, and the ground is cheap at $2800. The new electric line will pass in front of the door. Will sell for $4000, or will take Los Angeles property in exchange. Address G, box 2, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—
Pomona city for Los Angeles or Long Beach.
Orange and deciduous ranches, Pomona and La Verne sections, for Los Angeles or Long Beach.
Two fine ranches, one $30,000, the other $12; want Kansas.
20-acre Pomona orange grove for Ohio or Indiana farm.
$4000—Inyo Co. ranch for Southern California ranch.
$5000 residence property, Chicago, for Los Angeles or acreage.
$5000—Ottumwa, Iowa, for Los Angeles.
$250,000 productive ranch property near Pomona; want eastern income.
J. A. FITCH,
371 W. Second st.,
Pomona, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—
POMONA.
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A fine 10-acre orange grove close to Pomona, splendid 8-room residence, large barn; a beautiful home and a good income property; want Los Angeles property. 18
EDWARD E. GILLEN & CO.,
Pomona, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$20,000—60-acre alfalfa and dairy ranch at Norwalk, 17 miles southeast of Los Angeles, 15 acres fair stand, 50 acres seeded, 15 acres pasture, balance used for general farming. New 6-room house, barn, pumping plant new, producing 100 inches water. Will take ⅔ in other good clear property.
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FOR EXCHANGE—ONE OF THE FINEST orange groves in Southern California; frostless, fine soil, ample water, in fine condition; about 9000 boxes now on the trees; price $40,000; will trade for good eastern of equal value. Do not submit anything that will not stand the closest investigation as the property we offer is first-class. WORTH & GRASETT, 711 Grant Bldg., Fourth and Broadway. 22

FOR EXCHANGE—FOUR OR LESS FINE well located lots in Chicago worth $4000; will stand investigation and cash for lots here for manufacturing purposes and take residence here. IRISH & CHANDLER, 119½ S. Spring Street.

FOR EXCHANGE—2 KANSAS FARMS, clear of mortgage, for property here. R. D. LIST, 312 Tajo Bldg. 'Phone 2221. 18

FOR EXCHANGE—
Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—$5250; A HANDSOME 8-room home, two pressed-brick mantels, furnace, built-in buffet, polished floors, double floors upstairs; instantaneous heater, combination fixtures, lot 50x138, in fine location, ½ block from Adams, 1 block from Vermont, near two car lines; will sell or exchange my equity for cottage or good city vacant property. Address L, box 91, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR EXCHANGE—EASTERN FARMS AND city property for good California ranches. Send for free descriptive booklet.
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Real Estate Exchange Exclusively,
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I make a specialty of exchanging real estate, particularly California for eastern.
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(Member L. A. Realty Board.)

FOR EXCHANGE—VALUABLE RESIDENCE property, St. Paul, Minn., right in line of business growth, for a good well-located ranch near-by; part adapted for alfalfa, with water. T. L. TOMPKINS, Dodworth Bldg., Pasadena.

FOR EXCHANGE—GOOD LOT SOUTHwest on car line, $1200. For house and lot good location, $4000 or less. Assume difference.
J. J. PHELPS,
17 216 Mason Operahouse.

FOR EXCHANGE—$6000; MORTGAGE $3500; new, 9 rooms; will rent $500; also $4000, 8 rooms, new, at Ocean Park; for clear ranch or lots or other town property. W. N. HOLWAY, agent, 220 Grant Bldg. 18

FOR EXCHANGE — CORNER LOT ST. Paul, $1000; 160 acres Colorado, $2000; 240 Nebraska, $3000; 160 Dakota, $4000; 640 Kansas, $500; want home; investigate. McCREADY, 234 Bryson Block. 17

FOR EXCHANGE—IMPROVED AND UNIMPROVED city and town property for country property, lots in oil district and city equities. Owner, 346 BRADBURY BLDG. 18

FOR EXCHANGE—$30,000; FIRST-CLASS INcome properties in Mansfield, O.; will exchange for Los Angeles property. Inquire at 3436 S. FIGUEROA. 18

FOR EXCHANGE — 5-ROOM COTTAGE, Westlake Park district, and cash for small flat or store building. WERNER & CO., 107 N. Broadway. 18

FOR EXCHANGE — FOR TRADES IN groves, orchards or ranches call on M. W. ATWOOD, 612 Grant Bldg. Phone 1714. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—PETERS & WEBSTER, 315-17 Laughlin Bldg., will sell or exchange your property; large list to select from.

FOR EXCHANGE — NINE-ROOM HOUSE for cottage or vacant lots; will assume. Owner, 346 BRADBURY BLDG. 18

FOR EXCHANGE—BUY OR SELL, IN ANY State, call or write full descriptions. IRISH & CHANDLER, 119½ S. Spring st. 29

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXchange your property, offices 308 and 309 BRYSON BLOCK, Second and Spring.

FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

TO PIANO PURCHASERS—

We cannot give you something for nothing, but while the second-hand piano man is swapping talk with the man who is selling pianos below cost, neither are we selling $400 pianos for $1 and 6 bits (which tell the time of day and give milk,) but it will be for your interest to call and see us before buying a piano. See the best line of reliable pianos at eastern manufacturers' prices, or $1, $1.50, $2, $2.50 weekly payments.

Seeing is believing. A call costs nothing, and will save you money. No trouble to show goods.

CELEBRATED MAKES.
Behning, Reed & Sons, Sohmer, Gilbert and Florence pianos, all at eastern manufacturers' prices, and easy payments at that.

H. C. GILBERT PIANO CO.,
421 S. Broadway.
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FOR SALE—LUMBER; BUY NOW; THE fight is off; will never be any lower. The demand is good; have had rain. Rents are high. Go on with that building. Note our prices. New redwood boards, 1x4 and 1x6, 12 to 20 feet long, only $17; also 2x6 3x4, etc., $17. Redwood posts only $15 per thousand. Rustic $25; flooring $25; ½x6 for house lining, only $11 per thousand; 50,000 feet 1x4 clear redwood, only $30; get our figures. WHITING'S, Ninth and Maple.

FOR SALE—PAINT!!! PAINT!!! FULL CARload just received; mixed paint, Vane & Calvert's, guaranteed on every can to be as good as the best; only $1.25. Also five tons white lead at 6¼c. Our painter will figure your job. WHITING'S, Ninth and Maple.

FOR SALE—ELATERITE ROOFING costs less than shingles, never needs painting; used instead of pitch and gravel, metal tile or slate, the best for roof gardens or warehouse floors; sold on merit and guaranteed. ELATERITE ROOFING CO., 430 Byrne Bldg., cor. Third.

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FOR SALE—WANTED!! TO PAINT, TINT, paper or finish your new or old building. High-grade jobs are where we shine. "Watch it wear" on the new Chamber of Commerce and others. W. H. MEAD & CO., with WHITING'S, Ninth and Maple.

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FOR SALE—GREAT BARGAINS IN UNREdeemed storage pianos; large size; new colonial size, Steinway upright piano; less than half original cost; also new Kingsbury piano, 1-3 original cost. ARNOLD'S, 555 S. Spring, near Sixth. 17

FOR SALE—PEDIGREED BRANDYWINE strawberry plants, whose ancestors have not been allowed to bear fruit before growth and separation of young plants for eleven consecutive years. G. A. LOBINGER, San Gabriel. 2

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF EVERY DEscription, at cut prices, we furnish the house complete; call and inspect our line and let us figure with you; your credit is good. ELLIOTT FURN. CO., 649 S. Spring. 20

FOR SALE—SET OF ADJUSTABLE shelves, small counters, coffee mill, scales, bath tubs, water closets, pipe faucets, etc., cheap for cash at 739 San Fernando st. CALIFORNIA WRECKING CO.

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FOR SALE—SAW TIMBER ON FOUR SECtions; cruise 40,000,000; near railroad; will consider a home in California as part payment. E. M. PENTZ, North Yakima, Wash. 17

FOR SALE—ONE FINE MAHOGANY CASE Brinkerhoff piano, has been used very little; will sell cheap if taken now; call 1048 GRATTAN ST. in morning. 19

WANTED—STEEL WINDMILL, 12 FEET and over, and tank, or windmill alone; tank not less than 4000 gallons. Address R, box 5, TIMES OFFICE. 18

FOR SALE—AN AIR MOTOR WINDMILL, tank and pump, 75 feet 3-inch pipe. Call N.W. CORNER WESTERN AVE. AND WASHINGTON ST. 18

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FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE, EDITION de Luxe of "Courtiers and Favorites of Royalty." Call 1 to 3 this week, 1424 S. MAPLE AVE. 19

FOR SALE—HANDSOME 4-PEDAL KROEGER upright piano, left by party gone East, cost $650; no reasonable offer refused. 458 S. SPRING. 21

FOR SALE—TWO FRAMED WINDOWS, 4X5 ft., new, suitable for bay windows; also small gas heater, very cheap. Call at 906 E. FIFTH. 17

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FOR SALE—CHEAP, TWO GANG PLOWS, one hay wagon, with bed and rack; one sulkey plow, 16-inch. Call at 1470 E. 21ST. 19

FOR SALE—CHEAP, SHOWCASES, COUNters, shelving, doors and windows. We buy and sell. Ring up James 121. 216 E. Fourth.

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FOR SALE—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—1 REMINGTON TYPEWRITER, No. 6, almost new; also 1 No. 8, with wide carriage; a bargain. 425 COPP BLDG. 17

FOR SALE—GENTLEMAN'S FULL DRESS suit for $25; cost $75; worn three times. Address P, box 76, TIMES OFFICE. 17

FOR SALE — NEW BICYCLES, $20 TO $35, cash or time. A few second-hand wheels, $8 to $12. 458 S. SPRING. 18

FOR SALE—FINE CAMP WAGON, ONE OF the best double carriages in the city; two gray mares. 1844 W. 11TH ST.

FOR SALE—NEAT 8-SYRUP SODA FOUNtain, Tuft's make, cost $225; price $85 if taken now. 553 CENTRAL.

FOR SALE—22 WINCHESTER TAKE-DOWN repeater rifle, fine condition, $6. Address R, box 9, TIMES OFFICE. 18

FOR SALE—SIX SINGER FACTORY MAchine heads, and power table, cheap. 343 E. SECOND. 23

FOR SALE—ANY SEWING MACHINE REpaired, $1. HERRICK, 507 S. Spring. Home 'phone 2906.

FOR SALE — 1 ROLL-TOP DESK AND chair; other office furniture. 425 COPP BLDG. 17

FOR SALE—GOOD BARN CHEAP. SEE owner at once. GUS B. HILL, 135 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—FINE HAY, $18 PER TON. Inquire MRS. DE ANGELES, 910 Maple ave.

FOR SALE — SAFES; BARGAIN; MUST have room. ANDERSON, 212 N. Main.

FOR SALE — ONE JEWEL GAS RANGE, nearly new. 600 CERES AVE. 17

FOR SALE—FIRE-PROOF SAFE. 168 CENTRAL AVE., near Second st.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN IN A SODA WAER fountain. 452 N. MAIN.

FOR SALE—
Furniture.

FOR SALE—IF YOU ARE TO FURNISH your house don't miss this opportunity; we are selling out entire stock of furniture, iron beds, springs, mattresses, dining tables, chairs, rockers, carpets, rugs, gas range, etc., less than wholesale cost, come and get our prices, and be convinced. Call after Sunday, 553 S. OLIVE.

FOR SALE—$350; THE FURNITURE OF A new modern 6-room cottage in Westlake district; new carpets, draperies, pictures, linen, dishes, cooking utensils, etc., everything complete; same now rented for $50 per month. Rent reasonable. Apply L. O. HALL, room 25, City Hall. 17

FOR SALE—NEW FURNITURE FOR FIVE rooms, complete. Call at cottage, 1107 GEORGIA ST., Wednesday or Thursday. 17

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF NEWLY furnished 6-room flat, flat for rent. Call forenoons. 810 S. GRAND AVE. 17

FOR SALE — FURNITURE NEW 9-ROOM flat, very cheap, if taken this week; flat for rent. 1120½ S. GRAND AVE. 18

TO LET—FURNISHED SUNNY 4-ROOM flat; 3 minutes from Spring. Home 4953. No. 506 CALIFORNIA ST. 18

FOR SALE — SELLING OUT FURNITURE, gas ranges, carpets, cheap. 553 S. OLIVE.

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE — OLD-ESTABLISHED REAL-estate and business chance business, with a large list of properties, both realty and business opportunities, revised up to date, a fine opening for good rustlers, desk room enough sublet to pay all office expenses; one of the best locations in city; owners have bought mercantile business; must close out; big snap. See BAKER & HENRY, 206 Grant Bldg. 17

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FOR SALE—GOOD PAYING BUSINESS, including cigars, tobacco, fresh fruits, soda fountain, staple grocery, French bakery and stationery. All show cases and fixtures. Large 50 foot store; $40 including lease term. Heart of city. Investigate. Mention advertisement. 756 SO. SPRING. 17

NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE. NOTICE is hereby given that I will sell all furniture, linoleum, showcases, gas stoves, silverware, and all other fixtures covered by chattel mortgage given December 1, 1903, to the highest bidder. Arrangements can be made with landlord to continue business. C. C. COLYEAR, mortgagee. 17

OWING TO LOSS OF HEALTH OWNER OF most successful real estate and insurance business in Coachella Valley will sell business, including handsome office building, teams, etc., for $3000. Also ranch property rented to pay over 10 per cent. Address IRVING H. FAY, Coachella. 20

FOR SALE—CIGAR STAND THAT IS A money-maker; on Broadway near Sixth st.; doing a splendid business; the very best of stock and fixtures; rent $20; 1½ years' lease; this is the best and cheapest cigar stand in Los Angeles. See owner, GREENE, 632½ S. Broadway.

PRIZE ESTIMATES—EARN A PRIZE ON your judgment. See Times' special offer in another column for nearest correct estimates of number of separate "Liner" announcements which will appear in all the Los Angeles newspapers during week ending Febuary 20.

WANTED—CAPITALIST TO CONSIDER INvestment in first-class Los Angeles business property, paying a bonded income of 15 per cent. net for at least five years; amount required not to exceed $22,000. Apply J. LEE BURTON, Architect, 226 South Spring st. 17

RESTAURANT, BEST, BARGAIN IN LOS Angeles; clearing $250 a month; low rent; lease; easy to handle; good reasons for selling; will stand close investigation if you mean business; cash or trade for property. Information address R, box 36, TIMES OFFICE. 18

FOR SALE—CIGAR STAND AND POOL hall, will sell cigar stand and lease separate if desired. Doing good business, but owner wishes to reopen a larger place and will sell at invoice price. Address K, Box 25, TIMES OFFICE. 18

$4000—FOR SALE—
14 CHAIR BARBER SHOP, BATH ROOM AND LAUNDRY OFFICE; CLEARS $350 PER MONTH. EXCELLENT LOCATION; A GOOD OPPORTUNITY. R, BOX 97, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR SALE—$1500 WILL BUY MY EQUITY in $8000 business; established ten years; mortgage $3000, at 6 per cent., or will exchange the whole for real estate and $1000 cash. Address P, box 97, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—OLD-ESTABLISHED BAKERY route, horse, wagon and harness; will take buyer over the route and prove that it is now clearing $35 per week; owner must leave the city. CARR, 632½ S. Broadway. 17

FOR SALE—GROCERY STOCK, FIXTURES, horse and wagon, harness and buggy, $1600; will invoice; well established trade; in good location; sales $50 per day; rent $15 per month. Inquire 734 SAN PEDRO ST. 19

FOR SALE—$3000 BUYS A HALF INTEREST in well established real estate business. Will clear $400 monthly; only those meaning business and who have the cash need apply. Address N, box 46, TIMES OFFICE. 20

FOR SALE—DELICACY STORE; EVERYthing complete; fixtures, steam table, nice stock, counters, large showcase, range; fine location and business; price $300; snap. Address BOX 411, city. 17

FOR SALE—BAKERY; OLD STAND; LONG lease, cheap rent; horses, wagons, wholesale and retail route clears $250-$300 monthly; good reason for selling. Address P, box 36, TIMES OFFICE. 17

FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS LIVERY BUSIness, with good lease, close in, fifty good boarders, fine livery outfit, clearing $300 per month; price $4500. Address N, box 44, TIMES OFFICE. 17

SUBSCRIBER WOULD BE GLAD TO COMmunicate with parties considering the manufacture of briquettes or artificial fuel in Los Angeles. Address R, box 16, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANT TO EXCHANGE—CLEAR CITY lots, cottages, land in California, and cash, for general stock of merchandise, $1500 to $2500. Address M, box 63, TIMES OFFICE.

$1100—OLD CORNER CIGAR STAND with a prosperous trade and positively making money and offered a real bargain. I. D. BARNARD, 116 S. Broadway. 17

FOR SALE—BARGAIN, CIGAR STORE DOing fine; busy center, low rent; good lease, stock at invoice; best reason for selling. See WRIGHT, 108 S. Broadway. 17

FOR SALE—A GOOD GROWING GENERAL merchandise cash business of $1600 per month in a rapidly growing town and country. Address P, box 30, TIMES OFFICE. 17

FOR SALE—$1000; BEST PAYING RESTAUrant in city; has been run by two parties continuously for nearly 8 years. W. A. VARCOE & CO., 317 W. Second st. 17

FOR SALE—A PAYING LIVERY AND EXpress business, close to Los Angeles at a reasonable price; good reason for selling. Address O, box 95, TIMES OFFICE. 20

PARTY WITH $10,000 WILL BUY INTERest in established profitable business; principals write full particulars. Address G, box 89, TIMES OFFICE. 22

FOR SALE—CHEAP; LUNCH WAGON, 136 N. MAIN. 17

BUSINESS CHANCES—
Miscellaneous.

BEFORE GOING EAST, CALL AND LEARN how to make $200 per month back in your old home, without investing any capital. ROOM 400, Frost Bldg. 21

$2000 WILL BUY POOLROOM, BARBERshop and cigarstand clearing $200 a month; anybody can run it; ask for owner, 908 W. THIRD ST. 18

FOR SALE—$1160; WELL ESTABLISHED business on Seventh st., clearing $200 monthly; experience not required. R. D. LIST, 312 Tajo Bldg. 21

WANTED—TO PURCHASE UNDERTAKING business; will buy half interest or entire business. Address R, box 31, TIMES OFFICE. 18

WANTED—GOOD, CLEAN STORE IN ANY good town not over 50 miles out; improved city property, part payment. 131 AVENUE 45. 17

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FOR SALE — $600; DELICATESSEN AND lunch counter business; low rent; long lease; no agents. 551 CENTRAL AVE. 18

FOR SALE—FURNITURE OF RESTAUrant and 5 rooms; with lease; cheap. 446 SANTA FE ave., Phone Red 9121. 19

FOR SALE—NEW BEHR PIANO; COST $500; will sell at a bargain. Only used one month. Room 219 Byrne Bldg.

SNAP WITH SMALL CAPITAL TO BUY; established business, cheap rent, long lease. Inquire 125 E. SECOND. 17

FOR SALE—$150; SODA FOUNTAIN; FINE marble. ARCADE DRUG STORE. Fifth and Central. 18

$250 CAPITAL TO START WINS; $12 daily. J. L. BLAIR, 431½ S. Spring, room 4. 2

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT WITH LEASE; cheap rent. 300½ TEMPLE. 17

I. D. BARNARD, 116 S. BROADWAY, WILL sell out your business. 17

FOR SALE—COSY RESTAURANT. 525 S. MAIN ST. 17

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All Sorts, Big and Little.

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FOR EXCHANGE—NEW LOCOMOBILE, cost $1600; 2 seats; will trade for cottage or lots in Whittier or Los Angeles; no agents. GRAY, 626 E. 24th. 18

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$100	Repay to us	$26.65	$13.35	$6.65
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50	Repay to us	12.50	6.65	3.35
25	Repay to us	6.65	3.35	1.65
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$10,000 TO $12,000
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ON CITY PROPERTY.
Sums ranging from $500 up. Small rate of interest. A. T. JERGINS & CO.,
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MONEY LOANED SALARIED PEOPLE ON their notes without indorser; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., evenings, 6:30 to 7:30. SUN LOAN CO., 330-331 Johnson Bdg., Fourth and Broadway.

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PRIVATE MONEY ON DIAMONDS, FURniture, warehouse certificates, chattels, all kinds. 517 BYRNE BLDG., Third and Broadway. 19

TO LOAN—MONEY LOANED FURNITURE, live stock, jewelry, promptly, lowest rates. REID, 142 Broadway, room 126. Phone 1928. 6

MONEY AT 4½ TO 8 PER CENT. NET, ACcording to the size and character of the loan. EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., 216 W. Second.

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E. L. WHITTINGTON, MGR.
418 Mason Operahouse Block.

MONEY TO LOAN—AMOUNTS FROM $1000 to $4000, current rates. C. F. W. PALMER & CO., 406 Trust Bldg. 21

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Mrs Sallie V Fleury to Robert — Mrs Wesley Bolden, agreement to convey lots 1, 2 and 3, Richardson; part of subdivision lots 2, 3 and 4, Griffin Arroyo lots, $10.
Mrs M M Gutterson and Fred G — to Frank P Moore, lot 4, Long & — tract, $10.
Nellie A Le Forge and Albert W — to Charles W Thurston, lot 6, block — $10.
A R Dushren, administrator of estate of Gustav J Krueger, deceased, to — Krueger, lots 8, 9, block 1; lots 11 and — block 9, and lots 3, 10, 11 and 12 — Acton, $1825.
James Clarke and Emma A P Clarke to Frank C Platt, one-half of 1-300 part of — of Arroyo Seco, $600.
Clara A Wright and C L Wright to W Blake, lot 12, Gully tract, and right to attach a pipe to well on lot 1, said tract, $10.
Kerckhoff-Cuzner Mill and Lumber Company to F E Christman and Lydia C Christman, part lot 67, H J Wollacott's First-street tract, $1200.
G Walter Monroe, Leila B Monroe and Henry Kerr to Clem S Glass, part lot — J Whitley tract, $10.
Prudential Improvement Company to — G Cosgrove, lots 10 and 11, block — subdivision, San Pedro, $1200.
Percival F Schumacher and Virginia Schumacher to George Wilson and Mary Wilson, lot 8, block 1, Shaw tract, $10.
Enoch Loper to R J Halsey, part lot — tract of 1419.04 acres in rancho Los — $4000.
Rodney Knox and Evelyn R Knox to — Loper, part lot 1, block D, Alamitos — $2000.
R J Halsey and Jessie L Halsey to — Loper, part lot 1, block D, Alamitos — $2000.
H Boettcher and Alwine Boettcher to — bur H Wingo, lot 45, Boettcher tract, —
Alfred L Nelson and Hannah Nelson to Agnes J Barnes, lot 69, Wilson tract, —
Title Insurance and Trust Company to — nelius Cole, reconveyance of trust — A S Jones and Ida May Jones to — F Lang, lot 4, block 4, West Adams — ferson-street tract, $10.
S Kalisher to Ella E Rhoads and — Rhoads, lot 70 and part lot 71, — tract, $10.
Mrs Elizabeth Gaillard to Edith A — part lot 7, Mrs M A Bartlett's subdivision — Pasqual tract, $10.
Emily Buisseret and Alfred P Buisseret to W H Earle, lot 27, block 35, Electric — Homestead Association tract, $10.
M F B Joslyn to A M Croley, part lot — 27 and 28, block 62, Long Beach, $10.
Abbot Kinney, A R Fraser, G M — H R Gage to Samuel R Brearley, lot — 7, Golden Bay tract, $900.
Title Insurance and Trust Company to — Tyler, reconveyance of lot 19, Tyler's — West tract.
W E Tyler and Edna M Tyler to — Collins, lot 15 and part lot 19, — West tract, $10.
E P Bryan, Georgia Bryan, Ruth — Flateau (formerly Ruth Augusta Bryan) — Louis S Flateau to Louis A Dolton, — tion 7, 2 S 13, $10.
Roderick Thorpe to Louise A Dolton — section 7, 2 S 13, $6500.
Louis A Dolton to Title Insurance and — Company, part section 7, 2 S 13, $10.
John A Johnson and Hulda Johnson to Robert D Johnson, lot 4, block 2, — tract, $10.
M A Forster, individually and as trustee, to Adeaide M Matheson, lot 6, block — dena Villa tract, $30.
Roman Catholic Bishop of Monterey and Los Angeles, by Thomas James Conaty, incumbent, trustee under will of — vaney, deceased, to Winifred Llewellyn, block 7, Sabichi tract, $1000.
A M Brothers and E S Brothers to — L Bowker, part lot 27, Marks & — vision, $10.
Bank of San Pedro to W H Kitsman, — 21, 22 and 23, Peck's subdivision — San Pedro, $10.
George H Peck, Jr, and Olive M Peck to E Kitsman, lot 20, block 8, Peck's subdivision of block 8, Carolina tract, $10.
Allison Barlow and Bertha Barlow to — W Turner, lots 37 and 38, block 26, — Heights, $600.
W H Crook and Ada E Crook to — R Hunnicutt, lots 11, 12, 19, 20 and 21, — lingsworth's addition to Whittier, $10.
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James Alex Leonard and Julia I Leonard to Rebecca Taylor Watrous, part block — plat of J Ellis Colorado-street subdivision, $10.
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Jennie C Long and Fred J Long to A Jolly, lot 18, block 4, George — tract, $10.
Edith D Newerf and L L Newerf to — liam C Morgan and Ida L Morgan, — Dickman tract, $10.
Charles W Johnson, John M — Charles Mann, Emanuel Matthews and — L Matthews to Mary A Johnson, lot 3, — 18, Newhall, $5.
Estate of Thomas V Johnson, — final decree of distribution to Mary A Johnson, Charles W Johnson, John M — Charles Mann, Emanuel Matthews, — Varley Matthews and James L Matthews, — 12, block 18, Newhall.
Anita Bliss to John D Bliss, undivided fourth interest in part lot 24, — $10.
Lizzie Blakeslee to G F Stevens, — lot 242, Lankershim Rancho Land and — Company's subdivision, $2750.
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Eleanor R Lawrence, administratrix of estate of George W Lawrence, deceased, to August Sleck, lot 8, block A, — $1.
Beach Land Company to L G Vinson, 20, block 2, Playa del Rey townsite, —
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S W Holsinger and Anna M Holsinger to F W Harding, undivided one-half — lots 31 to 34, block G, Estella tract, —
P P Huston and Septima B Huston to M Frasier and Lena J Frasier, lot — dall & Giddings subdivision, $10.
Mabel Bailey Rogers to Abbot — 6, block A, and lot 3, block C, — subdivision Ocean Park Villa tract, —
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Marie Vandendaele to Alphonse — daele, undivided one-half interest — 6, 74 and 75, Alanis Vineyard tract, —
Mary Gorman and John Gorman to O Goodwin, lot 3, block F, Estella —
Ruth H Kendall to O P Lockhart, — 9, block 1, Bennett tract, $10.
Charles E Walker and Lillian Lee Walker to Annie E Sutton and Franklin — well, block A, Sanborn, Johnson & — subdivision, Pomona, and part block — mona.
Stephen M Pillsbury and Emeline — bury to Amelia Seibert, executrix of estate of J O Seibert, part lot 8, S Palms — division, $10.
Kate Elliott to J O Seibert, lot — addition, $10.
Carrie H Brady and F H Brady to — Pritchard, part lot 4, block G, — qual tract, $10.
Edward Dix to William A Dix, lot — P, Linda Vista tract, $300.
William A Dix to Edward Dix, lot — P, same tract, $900.
Robert Fairley and Myra A — Lewis H Webb, lots 4 and 5, — 1, O F Griffin's subdivision, Pomona.
Frank W Carey and Mary A Carey to — siah S Talcott, lot 2, Dunnegan — 500.
Mrs N D Burlingham and N D — to P A Rambo, lot 13, block 4, — tract, $10.
H C Morse to J A Brice, part lots — block 7, South Santa Monica, $10.
Clara Musselman to Ella Hedges, — block 62, Alamitos Land Company's — to Long Beach, $1000.
George J Ley and Beatrice M Ley to — Stellway, part Rancho Tajauta, —
Estate of Ellen M A Adams, — cree of distribution to Alice A — to Claude T Adams, personal — lots 7 and 8, Alhambra addition; lots 2, 4 and 5, and part lot 12, — subdivision, Alhambra; lots 1, 2 — A, C T Adams resubdivision, Alhambra; — 3 and 4, block 1, and lots — 7, Stoneman tract; part lot — Colony tract.
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It is believed that Billy Delaney, who joined Jeffries in New York a few days ago, has managed to give the champion's thoughts a twist ringward. The latest news concerning Jeffries is that he is doing a little preliminary work under the impression that he will be required to box the winner of the Sharkey-Munroe match.

Jeffries makes no secret of his belief that Sharkey is the man whom he will be called upon to meet. He appears to have some respect for the sailor's ring qualifications, whereas he refers to Munroe as "an accident."

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[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] If Jim Neil, father of the bantam champion, is able to carry out the plans of his to a successful termination, there will be no more boxing of any character in San Francisco. He had a consultation with his attorney last night, with a view to filing suit, the object of which will be to stop, through the medium of courts, upon a technicality, all boxing within the limits of the county.

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WORTH TROUBLE IS OVER DATES.

WHY JASPER AND DWYER WERE RELEASED.

Cella Bros., Who Control Worth, Have Been Considering a Secession from the Western Jockey Club—Important Local Meeting.

Racing men who read in The Times the release of Secretary Jasper and Starter Richard Dwyer by the Worth Jockey Club of Chicago are not sure of the exact status of racing in the Windy City.

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A meeting was held in this city some time ago, at which were present John Condon, representing Harlem (and if rumor may be relied upon, a part owner in Worth,) Edward Corrigan, Hawthorne, and James Howard, representing Washington Park Jockey Club. The attitude of Worth was discussed at length by these three, and the gentlemen present did not think the Wagner brothers, with all their political influence, would take the assignment of dates sufficiently to heart to withdraw from the Western Jockey Club, which is seriously menace their interests which are considerable. Worth is said to have cleared over $160,000 last year. Furthermore, the rumor that

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The Big Fellow Calls Munroe "an Accident."

Hanlon Taking on Decker. Neil Fighting Fights.

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[...] believed that Billy Delaney, [...] Jeffries in New York a few [...] managed to give the [...] thoughts a twist ringward. [...] news concerning Jeffries is [...] is doing a little preliminary [...] under the impression that he [...] required to box the winner of the Sharkey-Munroe match.

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At this meeting it was believed that the matter would eventually be decided by the Wagners accepting the dates allotted to them, and taking chances upon better luck in the future.

In regard to the release of Jasper and Dwyer, the belief is expressed that they were notified to make what other arrangements they desired, partly as a bluff to the threat that racing would be closed in Chicago, and most horsemen expect they will be officiating at the same old stand this summer.

RICHIE WINS.

DECOURSEY OUT AT SAN DIEGO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 16.—Johnny Ritchie of Brooklyn, and Billy Decoursey of Los Angeles, fought twelve rounds of a scheduled twenty-round contest before the San Diego Athletic Club tonight, Ritchie being the victor, and showing himself to be a very clever ring general. He went after Decoursey from the start, and kept him on the run, continually landing many heavy blows, not being able to knock his man out until the beginnnig of the thirteenth round, as Decoursey showed himself a glutton for punishment, and put up a game fight, but was simply outclassed by a better man and veteran fighter.

HANLON TAKES DECKER.

FOLEY MATCHED WITH COLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 16.—Eddie Hanlon, the California featherweight boxer, was matched here today to meet George Decker before the National Athletic Club March 1. Decker is considered the best featherweight in Philadelphia.

Harry Foley, the middleweight champion of the Pacific Coast, who came east with Hanlon, was also matched today. He will meet George Cole before the National Athletic Club Saturday night next.

Crescent City Races.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 16.—One mile: Past won, Satchel second, Capt. Hamm third; time 1:41 2-5.

Six furlongs: Typhonic won, St. Marco second, Joe Goss third; time 1:13 2-5.

One mile: Foresight won, Floral King second, Walnut Hill third; time 1:40 3-5.

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Mile and three-sixteenths: Gravina won, Col. Tyler second, Santa Teresa third; time 2:01 1-5.

Five furlongs: Irene Lindsay won, Frank Bell second, Autumn Leaves third; time 1:00.

ROBERTS THE WINNER.

FIRST BLOOD AT POOL.

The opening game of the pool tournament now being run by Joe Carney at the Lincoln rooms, was pulled off last night, Walter Roberts defeating Alex Hagels in the eighteenth frame by the close score of 125 to 121. The game was a contest throughout, and it afforded much enjoyment to the gallery present. Both played safe, steady pool. Hagel at first looked a sure winner, but Roberts pulled the game out of the fire after he struck his gait. About 250 were present.

Some of the best pool players in the city are entered in this tournament, and more hard-fought games may be expected. The purse hung up amounts to $[illegible]. Of this $50 goes to the winner; $30 to the second and $20 to the third. Walter Johnson, Henry Seeber, Walter Roberts, Charles Slaughter, Alex Hagel and Frank Irwin are the entries. Johnson and Irwin will play tonight.

Last night's game scored as follows: Roberts, 2, 6, 8, 16, 28, 33, 36, 42, 47, 56, 61, 72, 83, 95, 110, 119, 125.

Hagel, 13, 23, 34, 39, 42, 51, 61, 66, 75, 80, 90, 92, 96, 99, 99, 104, 119, 121.

REDMOND CAUSES SCENE,

Discussion of Chinese Labor in House of Commons Brings Him to His Feet to Defend the Irish.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] William Redmond caused a scene in the House of Commons today during the discussion of Chinese labor in the Transvaal. H. J. C. Custs, Conservative, made a reference to the effect that the Irish labor was responsible for corruption in New York, whereupon Mr. Redmond exclaimed excitedly:

"You have no right to insult an American; I will not allow it."

The speaker called Mr. Redmond to order, and other members protested, but still Mr. Redmond continued repeating his exclamation, and added: "In America, at least, they don't appoint a Chancellor of the Exchequer who is unfit for his post."

The speaker again intervened, and Mr. Redmond finally subsided with the remark: "America seems to get on all right."

HUMAN FIEND MUST HANG.

ROANOKE (Va.) Feb. 16.—Henry Williams, a burly negro, who at noon January 30 last, entered the home of George J. Shields, a well-known business man, and outraged Mrs. Shields and then murderously assaulted her and her three-year-old daughter with a hatchet, razor and pocket knife, and left them for dead, was today sentenced to be hanged March 18 next. The case caused wide interest because of the precautions taken to prevent lynching, eighteen companies of State Militia being called into service.

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Six and a half furlongs, selling: Pruewood, 94 (Hildebrand,) 15 to 1, won; Adirondack, 96 (C. Smith,) 16 to 5, second; Possart, 112 (See,) 12 to 1, third; time 1:25¼. El Pilar, Virgie d'Or, Suburban Queen, Sam Lazarus, Esq.; Lunga, Candidate and Grand Sachem finished as named.

Seven furlongs, selling: El Piloto, 102 (Foley,) 9 to 5, won; Flaneur, 104 (Bonner,) 5 to 2 second; Pierce J., 110 (See,) 5 to 1, third; time 1:31. Velma Clark and Leash finished as named

One mile and fifty yards, selling: Bombardier, 88 (Hildebrand,) 23 to 5, won; G. W. Trahern, 113 (J. T. Sheehan,) 7 to 1, second; Axminster, 108 (Foley,) 5 to 2, third; time 1:49. Dungannon and Caronel finished as named.

Six and a half furlongs, handicap: Princess Titania, 109 (J. Daly,) 4 to 5, won; Futurita, 95 (W. Knapp,) 23 to 5, second; Arabo, 109 (J. Martin,) 11 to [...] third; time 1:24¾. Olympian also ran.

[One] mile and a sixteenth, selling: Expedient, 103 (J. Martin,) 11 to 5, won; Mr. Dingle, 104 (Foley,) 8 to 5, second; Chickadee, 109 (Bonner,) 13 to 2, third; time 1:52. The Counselor and Boutonierre finished as named.

ASCOT GOING SUITS DUCKS.

Racetrack Gives Mud Larks a Chance to Win.

Six Favorites Finish in the Front Notwithstanding.

Public Comes Home Elated at Rain Only.

Sudden changes in track conditions are generally conceded to upset the calculations of the talent, but yesterday's racing at Ascot proved, in this respect a reversal of previous rules. Upon going whose appearance suggested ducks rather than horses, six favorites won in succession, each backed heavily by the wise money present, and when the day was over nearly every book in the ring charged up the rain with a considerable loss. For once the talent hardly made a mistake. In every race the winners were picked, and the bettors seemed to have sized up the effect of track conditions far mor accurately than the men who make the prices, liberal odds being offered on all the favorites.

The best thing was reserved for the last, like the boy's Thanksgiving pudding. The talent cut into their final treat in the closing even when Barney Schreiber's Dutch girl Winnifreda romped home under a backload of gold wagered at events and later at 4 to 5. She was bet on as if it was all over but the shouting, and Booker won as he pleased, having made a clever ride of it. Thisbe received some scattering play and her backers got a run for it in the stretch, but Winnifreda's rush was not to be denied. Louise Meining as usual was played well at a liberal price; eventually the public will get tired of betting on her, as she is always failing to deliver the goods, though backed every time she starts.

TRACK NOTES.

Barney Schreiber left last night on the Owl for San Francisco, but not without expressnig keen satisfaction over his Ascot investment. In three years, Mr. Schreiber says, the Ascot meeting will be the winter equal of the San Francisco game as a business venture.

J. Lewis was to have ridden Winnifreda and Erne, but contracted a severe chill, and the judges substituted Booker.

Redfern rode in fine form yesterday—three wins and two seconds in five starts.

Military was heavily played for a good thing by the betting commissioner of Joe Yeager and Ed Stutte, both of whom cleaned up a nice bet on his victory.

Katherine Ennis diverted some of the wise money in the opening event, but finished nowhere.

George Rose lost quite a bundle yesterday. When he goes wrong the remainder of the ring follows suit, as Mr. Rose is one of the ablest bookmakers in the business, operating boldly on a big bank roll with a confidence the smaller fry dare not have.

TODAY'S ENTRIES.

A card of rather more than average merit will give the wise ones a chance to do some tall picking this afternoon. Besides the customary selling events a hurdle handicap at a mile and an eighth is down for a decision, also a mile and a sixteenth handicap on the flat. The card follows:

Today's Races.

First race—Five furlongs, purse, three-year-olds:

6008	Eva D.	95
6073	Samar	95
5149	Maude Browne	95
6008	Leonado	97
6008	*Belladama	95
....	*El Bernardo	100
6070	Foncasta	100
6045	Gottlieben	102
(5924)	Matronia	102
6060	Japalak	107
5614	Alma Dufour	107
6070	Kleinwood	107
5950	Strife	112
6008	Annie Marie	112
5563	Dargin	112

*Baldwin entry.

Second race—Three and a half furlongs, maiden two-year-olds:

6056	Light of Day	102
6009	Buckster Hodi	102
5985	Devon B.	102
5985	Auro	102
6009	Sinicado	105
5895	Sea Air	112
5985	Herthus	112
5985	Hilona	112
5985	Melar	112
5877	R. L. Johnson	115
....	Copper Lion	115
	P. c. Nels Morris-Hubbard Jr.	
....	Baker	115
	B. c. Modred-Quadrant.	

Third race—One and an eighth miles, hurdle, handicap, four-year-olds and upward:

5806	Lurdan	125
6058	Heir Apparent	125
6034	Quidado	125
6068	Sharpless	125
6034	Martin Brady	123
5986	Major Hooker	126
6034	Olinthus	130
6034	Goldone	130

Fourth race—One and a sixteenth miles, handicap, four-year-olds and upward:

6047	Grail	90
(6036)	Laocoon	90
6059	Sals	95
6047	Nitrate	109
(5999)	Warte Nicht	112

Fifth race—Slauson course, selling, four-year-olds and upward:

(5964)	*Red Damsel	97
(6044)	*Little Margaret	100
6044	*Geheimness	100
5720	Insolence	102
5959	*Paul Whaley	104
(6057)	Walter	104
5890	*The Goldfinder	104
5987	Americano	105
6044	Celebration	107

Sixth race—One mile, selling, four-year-olds and upward:

6032	Iras	109
6046	Phyz	109
6046	Sherry	111
6057	Florestan	111
6032	Louwelsea	114
5984	Little Secret	114
6069	Blueridge	114
6069	Homage	114
5988	Silver Fir	114
6046	Marta	114
6046	Jingler	116
6046	Frank McKee	119
5938	Phil Archibald	119
6073	Rio Chico	121
5997	Buccleuth	123

*Apprentice allowance.

"THE TIMES" FORM CHART.

THE OFFICIAL CHART OF THE LOS ANGELES JOCKEY CLUB.

ASCOT PARK, Tuesday, February 16, 1904. Forty-seventh day. Raining. Track sloppy. A. W. Hamilton, presiding judge. Richard Dwyer, starter.

6068 FIRST RACE—Slauson course. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6067—Military, 6 (J. F. Monaghan)	118	6	.....	2 n	3 1½	2 ½	1 3	Miles	3	3
5984—Alice Crary, 4 (F. H. Bell)	112	5	.....	7 1	1 n	1 1	2 ½	Redfern	3	7-2
5962—Almoner, a (Larsen & Co.)	118	8	.....	5 1	4 1½	5 1	3 ½	McCleen	8	12
6013—Nanon, a (S. Polk)	116	4	.....	8 1	6 1	6 2	4 1	Buxton	5	6
6018—Laureates, a (J. Pelter)	116	7	.....	4 ½	5 1	4 n	5 1¼	Donovan	4	5
5638—James J. Corbett, 5 (Hedges)	121	3	.....	6 1	7 2	7 3	6 1	Prior	4	5
5962—Miss Nettie, 6 (Kirk & Co.)	116	1	.....	1 h	2 ½	3 1	7 2	J. Lewis	10	15
5929—Katherine Ennis, 6 (Mrs. Spiers)	116	9	.....	3 ½	8 1	8 1	8 2	Waterbury	6	12
5722—Jim Gore II, a (L. A. Stable)	118	12	.....	9 1	10 3	11 2	9 3	Henderson	8	12
5864—Sharpless, 6 (J. Carroll)	121	2	.....	10 2	9 1	10 2	10 2	J. Boland	10	20
5749—Wachusett, a (H. M. Roth)	118	10	.....	11 1	12	12	11 3	Hoar	20	30
5996—Pirato, 6 (C. E. Sawyer)	121	11	.....	12	11 2	9 1	12	P. Phillips	10	25

At post 10 min. Off at 2:09. Time—0:25½, 0:51, 1:13½.
Military place 1, show 1-2; Cary place 7-5, show 7-10; Almoner show 5-2.
Winner b. g. by Albert-Leda. Trained by T. Crysler.
Scratched—Bassiano, Jack Richelieu, Jr., Hilary.
Start perfect. Won easily. Next three driving.
Military off in good position; stayed there until last quarter, winning easily. Cary had no excuse; looked like a winner at the head of stretch. Almoner off badly; came very fast in stretch; would have been second in another stride or two. Nanon badly messed about; finished well. Nettie early speed, but stopped badly. The others finished away back.

6069 SECOND RACE—One mile. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6022—Canejo, a (C. E. Durnell)	107	6	6 2	5 ½	4 1½	3 1¼	1 h	Redfern	2	6-5
(6046)—Emshee, 5 (P. Murphy)	107	5	1 ½	1 1	1 1	1 ½	2 3	Mountain	4	10
5996—Emir, 4 (J. Carroll)	98	4	2 n	2 1	2 h	4 ½	3 h	L. Jackson	8	10
6021—MacGyle, a (J. J. Moore)	104	1	4 1	4 3	3 2	2 ½	4 1¼	Sinnott	6	12
6049—Blueridge, 5 (J. Robertson)	102	9	5 2	6 ½	6 3	5 1¼	5 2	Feicht	10	20
6025—Homage, 6 (Stephenson)	108	2	3 ½	3 ¾	5 2	7 2	6 2	Henderson	8	15
6021—Dr. Bernays, a (Cooper)	107	10	10 2	9 1	10 5	6 ½	7 1¼	Buxton	5	8
6021—Mr. Robinson, a (J. Pelter)	112	7	7 1	8 1½	9 1	8 2	8 2	J. Lewis	5	8
6020—Seaforth, a (Redmond)	104	11	8 2	10 5	7 ½	10 5	9 2	Fitzpatr'k	15	30
6022—Invictus, 6 (Mrs. F. Gabriel)	109	8	9 1	7 ½	8 1	9 ½	10 4	Prior	4	6
6032—Ping, a (Hegarty & Co.)	104	3	11	11	11	11	11	Wilkins	15	50

At post 1 min. Off at 2:31. Time—0:26, 0:52, 1:18, 1:46.
Canejo place 3-5, out show; Emshee place 4, show 8-5; Emir show 3.
Winner ch. m. by Royal Flush-Lady Emma. Trained by C. E. Durnell.
Scratched—El Oriente, Iras, All About, J. V. Kirby.
Start good. Won first three driving hard.
Canejo outgamed Emshee at the finish; was given a swell ride. Emshee swerved badly at the end; was very tired. Emir ran a good race.

6070 THIRD RACE—Seven furlongs. Purse. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $375.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6976—Elwood (Mrs. Durnell)	110	4	1 ½	2 2	2 ½	2 1	1 1¼	Redfern	8-5	11-5
6045—Felipe Lugo (E. J. Baldwin)	98	1	2 2	1 2	1 2	1 1¼	2 4	L. Jackson	6	12
6045—Kleinwood (Moshier Co.)	98	6	6 2	6 4	4 3	3 1¼	3 h	J. Booker	4	5
6023—Palm Reader (De Arman)	98	3	4 1	5 1	6 4	5 2	4 2	M. Lowe	6	6
(6008)—Columbia Girl (Johnson)	98	2	2 h	3 ¼	3 ¼	4 2	5 2	M. Johnson	2	7-2
5806—Foncasta (J. Curl)	98	5	5 ½	4 ½	5 2	6 5	6 5	J. Lewis	4	3
6036—Rian (E. Corrigan)	95	7	7	7	7	7	7	Feicht	3	5

At post 2 min. Off at 3:01. Time—0:25¾, 0:50¾, 1:16, 1:30.
Elwood place 1, show 3-5; Lugo place 5, show 2; Kleinwood show 4-5.
Winner b. c. by Free Knight-Petticoat. Trained by C. E. Durnell.
Scratched—Golden Mineral.
Start good. Won handily. Second and third driving.
Elwood reveled in the going and ran over his field last part. Lugo easily best of balance. Kleinwood finished with a rush. Palm Reader off well; was allowed to drop out of it. Girl tired in going. Foncasta fair race.

6071 FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Handicap. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $400.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6011—Stemwinder, 4 (F. T. Wood)	85	1	.....	1 4	1 3½	1 3	1 3½	J. Lewis	7-5	6-5
(6011)—Golden Rule, a (Durnell)	104	2	.....	2 5	2 4	2 3	2 3	Redfern	1	11-5
5973—Ocyrohe, 3 (Coffey)	67	3	.....	3 12	3 12	3 12	3 12	Callahan	3	9
6011—Cruzados, 5 (E. J. Baldwin)	90	4	.....	4	4	4	4	J. Booker	3	3

At post 4 min. Off at 3:35. Time—0:24½, 0:49, 1:16.
Stemwinder place 2-5, out show; Rule place 1-3, out show; Ocyrohe out.
Winner ch. h. by Commercial Traveler-Dora Wood. Trained by F. T. Wood.
Scratched—Pat Bulger.
Start poor. Won ridden out. Second and third driving.
Stemwinder off flying; got the best of a bad start, winning handridden. Golden Rule off poorly; would have beaten the winner with an even start. Ocyrohe away badly; closed ground last half. Cruzados practically left.

6072 FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
6049—Sir Hugh, 4 (Kirby)	106	3	3	1 3	1 3	1 2	1 4	Redfern	6-5	8-5
6037—Cloche d'Or, 4 (Conrad)	92	2	2 h	3	3	2 2	2 3	Anderson	8-5	7-5
6013—Erne, 5 (J. Curl)	90	1	1 ½	2 1½	2 ½	3	3	J. Booker	2	5-2

At post ½ min. Off at 3:58½. Time—0:26½, 0:52¼, 1:19½, 1:47, 1:53.
Winner b. g. by Salvator-Scotch Fir. Trained by C. E. Durnell.
Scratched—Labor, Dupont.
Start good. Won first three driving.
Hugh best; went to the front at the half, but had to be ridden hard through the stretch to stall off the rush of Cloche d'Or. The latter looked like a winner a furlong but; hung badly. Erne stopped to a walk.

6073 SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs. selling. Three-year-olds and upward. Value to first, $225.

Index. Horse and Owner—	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockey.	Op.	Cl.
(6013)—Winifreda, 3 (Schreiber)	98	3	.....	3 1	2 1	1 2	1 5	J. Booker	1	4-5
6049—Rio Chico, a (A. Harris)	113	4	.....	2 ½	3 3	3 2	2 ¼	Hoar	3	4
6013—Thisbe, a (McCoy & Bennett)	110	1	.....	1 1	1 ½	2 1½	3 1	Donovan	5	7
5809—Skirmish, a (B. F. Hobart)	107	2	.....	4 3	4 ½	4 ½	4 5	Mountain	5	8
6086—Hallie Beach, 3 (Goodin Co.)	96	6	.....	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 h	Wilkins	15	60
5977—Lady Fonse, 3 (Lanka)	98	7	.....	7 1½	6 1¼	6 1	6 1½	Anderson	4	8
6033—Louise Meining, 3 (Drumm)	95	9	.....	9 5	8 1	7 2	7 2	Feicht	4	20
5720—Ohio Girl, 5 (Larsen Co.)	107	10	.....	10	10	10	8 3	Sinnott	10	30
5841—Samar, 3 (Beall & Co.)	95	8	.....	8 3	9 3	8 1½	9 3	Hollander	15	100
5973—MacAna, 5 (Mrs. Small)	109	5	.....	6 ½	7 1½	9 1	10	Buxton	5	15

At post 1½ min. Off at 4:29½. Time—0:25¼, 0:50¾, 1:17½.
Winifreda place 2-5, out show; Chico place 6-5, show 3-5; Thisbe 6-5.
Winner b. f. by Sain-Laura Agnes. Trained by R. D. Williams.
Scratched—Maresa, Madam Bishop, Milas, Sallie Goodwin.
Satrt good. Won easing up. Second and third driving.
Winifreda outclassed her field; off in the first flight, Booker took nice hold of her till stretch, then let her down, winning pulled up. Chico always up with the leaders; ran a game race; was nicely ridden. Thisbe had speed first half, but stopped badly. Skirmish ran an improved race.

A JAPANESE WAR SONG.

It Describes the Prowess of the Japanese During the Late War With China.

[New York Sun:] When Japan sent a party of naval officers and sailors to this country to take charge of the cruiser Kasagi, built by the Cramps, they taught one of the Japanese war songs to their American acquaintances. Here is how the Japanese version ran in part:

Tenshin joyaku hakai hashi
Toyo hiewa no giwo shiranu,
Momai ganko no chan-chan ga,
Burei kiwamaru furumaiwa,
Setshi yakuwan kogai hifun,
Nippon danshino udemaide,
Yaban no gume o yaburanto.

Translated the song is as follows:

"The Tientsin treaty has been broken. The extremely discourteous conduct of the barbarous and stubborn Chinese, failing to recognize the value of peace in the East, causes teeth to be set and arms folded, while public sentiment is sorrowful and angry.

"To break this dream of barbarism by the power of the Japanese soldiery, our reinforcements are continually advancing, with flags floating bravely.

"Both in the desperate battle of the Gulf of Pechili and in an attack on the province of Seikio, we displayed the national prowess by slaughtering the Chinese fighting against our country.

"We are marching through a country in which the scorching heat blisters the flesh. We are passing through fire and water, but we do not care. The enemy's projectiles come like hail. The corpses are piled mountain high at Heijo. Blood discolors the waters of Wei-hai-wei, but our soldiers, never retreating an inch, easily capture the Chinese fort.

"Grasping 400 provinces with one hand and planting the flag of the Rising Sun on the castle of Pekin, let us return in triumph. For you are to be an example of the military clan, increasing the fame of the nation.

"Human life is only fifty years. If we are reluctant to lose it, we become disloyal to the Emperor for generations.

"Two ways lie open before us; the loyal way is to die. Let our motto be to continue fighting until we fall exhausted.

"This is the most satisfactory solution. How desirous. How joyful."

THE ROAD IS SO LONESOME BETWEEN.

When the crickets chirp in the evening,
And the stars flash out in the sky,
I sit in my lonely doorway
And watch the children go by.
I look at their fresh young faces,
And hark to each merry word.
For to me, a child's own language
Is the sweetest e'er was heard.

And so I sit in my doorway
In the hour that I love the best,
And think as I see them passing,
My child will come with the rest;
Think, when I hear the clicking
Of the little garden gate,
My darling's hand is upon it—
O, why has she come so late?

But the days have been slowly weaving
Their warp of toil in my life;
The weeks have rolled on me their burden
Of waiting and patience and strife;
The flowers that come with the summer
Have finished their errand so sweet,
And autumn is drooping her harvests
Mellow and ripe at my feet.

And yet my little girl comes not,
And I think she has missed her way,
And strayed from this cold, dark country
To one of perpetual day.
I think that the angels have found her,
And, loving her better than we,
Have begged the Good Father to keep her
Right on, through eternity.

Perhaps. But I long to enfold her,
To tangle my hand in her hair,
To feast my starved mouth on her kisses,
To hear her light foot on the stair.
I am but a poor, selfish mother,
And mother-hearts starve, though they know
Their children are drinking the nectar
From lilies in heaven that blow.

Some day I am sure I shall find her—
But the road is so lonesome between,
My spirit grows sick and impatient
For a glimpse of the pastures so green;
Till then I shall sit in the doorway,
In the hour that my heart loves best,
And think, when the children pass homeward,
My child will come with the rest.

—[Mary Riley Smith.

How to Educate the Boy.

Not a few fathers hurt their sons and damage the careers of those sons by picking out careers for them. Train up the boy in the way he should go, and then let him choose his own work. In the choice of a vocation, as in the choice of a wife, every young man should be left alone. If he is not worthy of being left alone the parent has grievously injured the boy in the preceding decade of his life. These interpretation mean that I would not educate my boy under a private tutor. I would educate my boy with boys, although not entirely by boys. Boys do, however, educate boys; but a boy who is trained alone is liable to fail in adjusting himself to his membership in humanity. He is to become a brother of the common lot. He therefore should learn early how to adjust himself to his fellows. Neither would I educate my son abroad; he is an American boy. I should be glad to have him get all that is best from the private school in Lausanne or Geneva, but not for one instant would I have his ideas formed by the French master or his methods by the German. A primary note in his character should be the American, although a note more fundamental is the human. He is, as a human boy, to be trained up for service in this great, interesting, new life of our new world. —[Harper's Weekly.

A Fundamental Right.

In President Eliot's speech on labor unionism the Boston Transcript notes that "the entire restriction idea he antagonized as tending to prevent the full force of a man's work, and also its full product. Holding back the individual and preventing him from rising through the different grades of employment, he insisted, denied a fundamental right of democratic society." —[New York Evening Post.

WAR BULLETINS FROM MANY POINTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Consul-General Uchida today announced that the Japanese war fund which is being raised in this city should reach the $100,000 mark before the end of the week. One check for $10,000 was received from a Japanese merchant of this city today; two contributions of $5000 each have been made, and the number of smaller donations is constantly increasing. Uchida says that he could not as yet report upon the actual total received, as he had not, up to date, received reports from all collecting committees, nor did he wish to make known the names of the largest individual contributors.

About one hundred Japanese naval reserves in this city who have been recalled by the home government started for the Pacific Coast today. They have been ordered to hasten to Japan with all speed. There are about 500 of the naval reserves in the vicinity of New York, and others will follow the first 100 as soon as they can get away.

ALEXIEFF'S MANIFESTO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 17.—Viceroy Alexieff on February 16 issued an order admonishing the soldiers with regard to patriotic duty, and expressing his confidence in victory.

BRITAIN TO APPOINT CONSULS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 16.—It is said Great Britain is about to appoint Consuls at Mukden and Antung.

TORPEDO LOCATIONS LOST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, Feb. 16.—It is reported here that the loss of the Russian torpedo gunboat Yenisei will entail a serious consequence. The captain of the vessel had placed torpedoes at various places, and the maps and plans indicating these spots went down with the ship. It is believed that the General Staff possesses duplicates of these papers, but there is a probability that those which were lost contained certain corrections and modifications which the others do not.

RUSSIAN SHIPS DONE UP.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The Japanese Minister today received a dispatch from Tokio stating that trustworthy information has reached the Japanese government to the effect that as a result of the Japanese attack on the Russian squadron off Port Arthur, February 8, the Russian battleship Retvizan is still aground outside the port; the Czarevitch has been towed into port, and the Pallada is still aground at the entrance of the port. All three are hors du combat. The dispatch says that as a result of the bombardment on the morning of the 9th, the Novik was severely damaged, but the Askold, Dina and Poltava were only slightly damaged.

WEI HAI WEI LEASE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—A dispatch has been received here from the Russian Minister at Peking, Paul Lessar, saying that upon his official inquiry, the Chinese government informed him that Wei Hai Wei remains leased to Great Britain.

HOLD BOATS AT JIBUTL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—Admiral Wirenius has been instructed to hold the Russian squadron at Jibutl, French Somaliland, until further orders.

GERMAN CRUISER FIRED ON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—A semi-official telegram, dated from headquarters of the Viceroy at Port Arthur, says the German cruiser Hansa, which had been sent to remove German subjects from Port Arthur and which had on board also a number of Russian women and children, had been fired upon by Japanese warships.

The telegram reiterates the statement that three Japanese torpedo boats have been sunk in a night attack on Port Arthur. All was quiet February 13, within the sphere of the war operations.

GERMAN BARON'S RASHNESS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BERLIN, Feb. 16.—The utterances of Baron Von Richenberg, the German Consul at Moscow, who is described as having made a speech to a crowd of Russians, saying, among other things, that the Japanese treacherously attacked Port Arthur, are severely commented upon by the German press. The government will repudiate the Consul's sentiments and reprimand him.

CAPTURED RUSSIAN CREWS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—United States Minister Allen from Seoul cables the following details of the disposition made of the Russian sailors who composed the crews of the Varlag and the Korietz, the Russian cruisers sunk by the Japanese at Chemulpo on the 9th inst.: Russian forces that were captured have been taken on the French naval vessel and will be conveyed by her to Sagin (Cochin China,) tomorrow, where they will be held until after the close of the war. Those on British naval vessel will be taken to Hongkong under similar understanding."

PROTECTION OF JAPANESE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The State Department has not yet heard from United States Consul Miller at Newchwang respecting his attempt to protect Japanese at that port from il-treatment. He is attending to the Japanese business under instructions from the department, which has assumed the care of Japanese interests in Russia during the continuance of hostilities, and it is not doubted that when his authorization is made known to the Russian authorities his requests will be respected.

JAPS SEIZE ARMY WAGONS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 16.—The Stoughton Wagon Company, which recently shipped 500 army wagons in several lots to Russian ports on the Pacific has been notified from St. Petersburg that the last shipment fell into the hands of Japan. The dispatch does not state the size of the shipment.

EVANS SENDS THREE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Admiral Evans, commanding the Asiatic squadron, has notified the Navy Department that he has dispatched three of the squadron's cruisers to North China ports, where they will be held in readiness to serve as dispatch boats, or for the succor of the refugees, or for similar puruposes during the progress of the war. The New Orleans has started from Cavite for Chefoo, the nearest neutral port to the scene of war. The Raleigh and Frolic have started from Cavite for Shanghai.

RUSSIA WON'T MAKE EXHBIT.

Official Announcement of Abandonment of Display at World's Fair.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Commissioner-General Alexandrovisky today officially announced the abandonment of the proposed participation of Russia in the St. Louis Exposition.

JAPAN MAKES GOOD.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 16.—Upon the heels of the announcement from St. Petersburg that Russia will abandon her proposed exhibit at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition, Hajime Ota, assistant commissioner-general from Japan, announced tonight that every foot of exhibit space that is given up by Russia will be applied for by Japan.

BRITISH ALONE PROTESTED.

Story of International Conference Prior to the Battle of Chemulpo.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 16.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Seoul correspondent of the Daily Mail, in the course of a descriptive narrative of the Chemulpo battle, says that before the fight the captain of the Russian cruiser Varlag held a conference with the British, French and Italian captains aboard the British cruiser Talbot, in which he asked for the protection of a foreign warship in leaving the harbor. The request was refused. The British launch delivered a protest to the Japanese admiral immediately before the action.

The Americans present refrained from attending the naval conference or partaking in the demonstration, although some of the wounded Russians were received on board the United States gunboat Vicksburg.

While the Varlag was being sunk, her captain, fearing the Japanese would reach the vessel before she settled down, requested the captain of the Talbot to fire at her water line. The request also was refused.

Dr. Schiffman's

Hours at the chair are now 9 to 5 and he can be consulted personally any time during those hours.

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THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Fackner Felonied.

Frederick Fackner, who was convicted in the United States Court of having executer a false pension affidavit, was yesterday sentenced to two years in Folsom penitentiary.

First Exhibits for the Fair.

Secretary Wiggins of the Chamber of Commerce desires to notify all persons now preparing exhibits for the St. Louis Exposition that the articles must be at the Chamber of Commerce between February 20 and 25, as the first car will be shipped on the latter date.

Plans of Lot Cleaners.

The South Maple Avenue and South Main Street Improvement Association comes to the front with a new scheme to keep vacant lots clean, and to prevent those which have already been cleaned through the agency of this society from becoming again overgrown with weeds. The association proposes to take any vacant lots in that section of the city, plow them and plant them to barley or potatoes, for the use of the lots.

The Gould Train.

A special train of three cars bearing Mrs. George Gould and party and a retinue of servants, is expected to arrive at the Arcade depot at 8:30 o'clock this morning, when it will be picked up at once by a Santa Fé engine and taken to Coronado. As the special is registered in the name of Mrs. Gould, it is not thought that George Gould is one of the party. It is probable that a visit will be made in this city upon the return trip.

Margaret and Her Husband.

The creditors of Mrs. Margaret Dedmond and her husband, James Dedmond, who have been engaged in a mercantile business at Bear Valley, Mariposa county, yesterday filed a petition in the United States District Court asking that the parties named be adjudged bankrupts. The petitioners represent an indebtedness of about $1000 against the Dedmonds, and it is alleged that the latter had acted in bad faith in giving prior judgment in favor of another creditor.

Fine School Exhibits.

The work of the older pupils of the public schools is now being assembled at the rooms of the Board of Education, preparatory to being packed for St. Louis. It consists of artistic charts made in pen-and-ink and in water colors, beautifully-executed maps, illustrated studies in geography and history, and the school officials are justly proud of the accomplishments of the pupils. The work shown is a part of the regular school course, specially prepared for the exposition, and represents the best specimens from each of the schools.

Prospective West Pointers.

The Examining Committee appointed by Senator Bard to examine the candidates for appointment to the military academy at West Point, met at the Van Nuys Broadway yesterday and examined seventeen boys, but no decision was arrived at and the matter will be disposed of today. The work of the committee is in charge of B. O. Cerberding of Hueneme, the personal representative of the Senator. The other two members are S. C. Graham and C. C. Wright of this city, but the latter was unable to participate in the examinations on account of legal business.

Adjutant Bayle Here.

As heraded in The Times several days ago Adjt. Emma Bayley, a former co-worker with the late Capt. Nellie Truelove, arrived in the city yesterday and took charge of the Salvation Army Rescue Home in East Los Angeles. She is accompanied by Mrs. Col. Higgins, national superintendent of the work, who will lecture upon the subject of the life work of the late Consul Emma Booth-Tucker, tonight at the headquarters, No. 433 South Spring street. Col. Higgins will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Slauson for several days, and then she will go to the southern part of the State and then go East through Arizona.

Mills Meetings.

Rev. Benjamin Fay Mills will speak at 12:15 this noon in Blanchard Hall on "The Practical Application of the Sermon on the Mount." At 3:30 o'clock in the same place, he will continue his addresses on "The Divinity of Man," with the special subject today of "The Divine Man and Other Divine Men." At 7:45 this evening in the Simpson Auditorium, he will deliver his lecture, which has created great interest in other places, on "The Woman of Today." Last evening Mr. Mills spoke in Simpson Auditorium on "Practical Brotherhood in New Zealand," giving a resumé of the recent social, economic and political experiments there.

BREVITIES.

Call up the Home Ice and Cold Storage Co. before making contracts for your ice; they will be ready to deliver you the very best quality of ice about May 1st. They are not in the trust; they will furnish you full weight. By dealing with them you will get what you pay for, and only pay for what you get. They are putting in a right up-to-date plant, using the latest improved ice-making machinery. Patronize a home enterprise made up with Los Angeles capital. Address or call upon A. P. McGinnis, manager, 415 Conservative Life Bldg. Telephones: Home 528. Sunset Main 2421. C. W. Pendleton, secretary, 540 Bradbury Block. Telephones: Home 2420. Sunset Main 650.

Telephone your "Want" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your 'phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset, Press 1; Home, Exchange 2.

Penial Hall, 327 South Main street, noon prayer meeting daily. Gospel meeting every night; also 11 a.m., 3 p.m., Sundays.

Donations of cast-off clothing, bedding, etc., solicited. Bethlehem Institutional Church, 510 Vignes. Tel. John 261 for wagon.

Cooking demonstration at Young Women's Christian Association, Friday, 3 p.m. Everyone interested invited.

Don't miss the concert of Mary Golden, soprano, Simpson Auditorium, March 3.

For helpless invalids use Cutting & Stelle's invalid lister. 'Phone 5417.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company's office, No. 238 South Spring street, for Mrs. Emma Foix, J. S. Wallace.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union for S. L. McEvoy, F. A. Vance, Andrew Vanderwurt, Henry Slaussen, G. N. Jacobi, James A. Jackson, E. W. Reynolds, N. W. Oswald, Fred W. Pabst, James Rucker, Dewitt W. Harrison, Ottanazio Conti, A. McKenzie, J. A. Carter, C. L. Boutal, Chas. W. Russell, Mahala Allison, Mr. Chas. Henry Scott, Miss Elsie M. Bosbyshell.

A Child's Conception.

Little Elmer, while out walking with his nurse, saw a blacksmith shoeing a horse, and upon returning home said: "Mama, I saw the man who makes horses today."

"Are you sure you did?" asked mama.

"Of course I am," replied Elmer. "He had one nearly finished when I saw him. He was just nailing on his hind feet."—[Ram's Horn.

YESTERDAY'S HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ANGELUS—Mrs. E. M. Smith, Misses Smith, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. George L. Thoup, Misses Thoup, Boise, Idaho; Mr. and Mrs. James S. Raymond, New York; Charles Mier, San Francisco; A. A. Warren and wife, Green Bay, Wis.; Mrs. John Joyce, Chicago; F. H. Griffith, Philadelphia; G. Wonderly, London, Ont.; E. Nahon, Mrs. E. Nahon, Miss M. Nahon, New York; Howard Cole, wife and nurse, Vicksburg, Miss.; Bernard Blank, New York; W. H. Walt and wife, Peter Heber, Haley, Idaho; George B. Hall, New York; Peter Busch, St. Louis, Mo.; T. McIlvary, Jr., Baltimore; F. A. Nash and wife, Omaha; Clarence Coleman, San Francisco; E. N. Goodlett and wife, El Paso; G. W. Graham, New York; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Strauss and son, Engelwood, N. J.; J. W. Wilson, W. F. Hunting, Chicago.

VAN NUYS—Vernon Cassand, Chicago; Mrs. Jacob Hays, Mrs. DeMott, Miss C. F. Hull, Albert Shaw, New York; A. Watson, C. C. McGregor, Dawson; Martin Dawson, H. B. Ferris, N. P. Moore, A. C. Tollifson, Chicago; Henry Sargent, Worcester, Mass.; W. Wishart, New York; H. P. Farnham, Portland, Or.; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Manling, Muncie, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Gordon, Solea; Mr. and Mrs. Grant Copeland, Walla Walla, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baldwin, Cleveland, O.; Bernard H. Blank, New York; Timothy Foley and wife, St. Paul, Minn.

HOTEL BROADWAY VAN NUYS—R. W. Pierce, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Tyler, Sheepshead Bay, N. Y.; H. T. Friend, Pittsburgh; E. R. Thorkmorton, La Fayette, Ind.; W. F. Creaves and wife, Birmingham, Ala.; W. R. Cotrel, R. T. Archer, San Francisco; W. A. Titcomb, Berkeley; D. H. Clark, Chicago; James McIntosh, Minneapolis; F. Jewel, Mrs. Jewel, Mrs. A. V. Curby, Richmond; Miss Floyd, Miss A. S. Pratt, New York; Mrs. George B. Harrison, Miss Harrison, Mr. Harrison, Washington, D. C.

WESTMINSTER—Mrs. A. Seaman, Mrs. S. J. Seaman, Portland; C. N. Brush and wife, Boston; A. Reid and wife, Norwich, Ct.; A. J. Thornley, Providence, R. I.; Mrs. A. Loung, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jeffrey, Columbus, O.; Mrs. A. E. McCrea, Miss McCrea, F. H. Nelson, Chicago; A. M. Smith and wife, Portland, Or.; Bernard H. Blank, New York; H. B. Voorhees, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Carpenter, Chicago.

NADEAU—W. A. Agard, P. B. Cunningham, D. F. Riley, Sam R. Leon, A. Canton, San Francisco; F. H. Nelson, F. S. Morse, W. F. Wallace, H. E. Clifford, A. Vanderort, Chicago; Thomas S. Armstrong, Fergas, Can.; J. Cohn, St. Louis; M. J. Kitridge, Clinton, Neb.; John Allyon, Denver; William McMillan, Reno; A. Nelson and wife, Mrs. John Birck, Litchfield, Minn.; W. F. Lowe and wife, Boston; F. S. Carey and wife, Zanesville, O.

HOLLENBECK—W. W. Nichols, W. G. Nichols, J. E. Nichols and wife, Minneapolis; Mrs. F. R. Warner, Mrs. Warner, Michigan; F. H. Nelson, W. A. Idlor, F. M. Applegate, E. F. Springer, W. Keeley, Mrs. B. J. Phelps, J. M. Stanley and wife, Chicago; A. C. Bowles, A. V. McCotter, E. J. Meyer, New York; W. M. Miller, A. H. Chaney and wife, Des Moines; Mrs. F. A. Pallock, S. A. Moore, St. Louis; N. H. Eshelman, Franklin; F. J. Hicks and wife, Chicago; R. J. Ferris, Grand Rapids; R. L. Sprager, Seattle; F. W. Pitcher, Salt Lake; F. J. Honald, Arlington; R. L. Pryer, Grand Rapids; T. W. Hubbel, Springfield; George W. Bingham and wife, Salem; J. W. Bohan, Tucson; Mrs. C. O. Goss, Minnesota; J. B. Green and wife, Memphis; W. H. Gregory, Newark; A. E. Bronson, Cleveland; A. C. Willis, Columbus; F. H. Parker, Phoenix; William Weaver, Colorado; George C. Duff, Arizona; G. Platt and wife, Dakota; C. J. Bush, Denver.

NATICK HOUSE—J. D. Robinson, Providence, R. I.; John Drew and wife, Garfield; J. Robinson and wife, Denver; George Rinsel, Ohio; U. H. Eshelman, Franklin, Pa.; Homer C. Miller, O.; W. T. Brockman, Missouri; J. Leffert, Johnstown, Pa.; B. C. Tarbell, Naco, Arizona; Richard Boden, Cincinnati; James Hart and wife, George R. Hart and wife, Richmond, Ind.; M. Gilmartin and wife, Josie Landen, Columbus, O.; George Duff, Fortuna; J. J. Morton, Arizona; Truman Curtis, St. David; R. L. Wilson, Beaver, Pa.; Thomas Layers, Layers, Ariz.; Mrs. L. W. Tubbs, Mrs. H. H. Woodraw, Iowa; E. W. Ellis, Montana.

ROSSLYN—Frank Long and wife, Cement, Kan.; Mrs. J. Ferguson, Pony, Mont.; Buler Woych and wife, Mrs. S. Tracey, Mrs. L. Tracey, R. J. Laidlaln, Margaret Mack, Will McBride, New York; M. Fuller, Philadelphia; Patsy Neary, Minneapolis; Edward Laurence, New York; W. F. Dills, Westfield, N. J.; A. O. Cornwell, wife and son, Minnesota; C. R. Kelly, New York; George Betles, wife and family, Boise, Idaho; G. Davis, New York; P. A. Overseth, Canton, S. D.; C. F. Johnson, P. H. Hall, Hudson, S. D.; R. L. Brown and wife, Pennsylvania; G. B. Rose, Chicago; G. W. Tape and wife, Portland, Or.; F. H. Newman and wife, Baltimore; J. K. Ross, Prescott.

Over the Wall.

Still a great wall intervened between them and society.

"Let's give up," said the man, thoroughly disheartened.

"Oh, we're going to get over it," said the woman, nothing daunted.

"What! have we wings?" expostulated the man.

"No, but our money has," said the woman.—[Philedelphia Press.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

Christian Juow, aged 32, native of Switzerland, resident of Slater, Iowa, and Catherine Wagner, aged 19, native of Wyoming, resident of Whittier.

Martin W. S. Robbins, aged 30, native of New York, and Mamie W. Clark, aged 27, native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Francis H. Howland, aged 21, native of New Jersey, resident of Undercliff, N. J., and Ruby E. G. Jennings, aged 21, native of Vermont, resident of Burlington, Vt.

Angel Moya, aged 22, native of Mexico, and Mauricia Quintero, aged 18, native of Mexico; both residents of Los Angeles.

Joseph C. Holden, aged 38, native of Pennsylvania, and Mary A. Kessler, aged 34, native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

BISHOP—R. B. Bishop, February 15, 1904. Funeral from undertaking parlors of Guidinger, Third street, Santa Monica, February 17, 1904. Friends invited.

HOLMES—Addie, daughter of Frank H. Holmes, Minneapolis, Minn., died at their "Granada apartments," Los Angeles, Cal., February 16, 1904, of consumption. Short service will be conducted by Rev. John L. Pitner at undertaking parlors, No. 433 South Hill street at 7:30 p.m., Friday, 19th inst. Friends invited. Interment at Minneapolis later.

RIDSDALE—In this city, February 15, 1904, Emma A. Ridsdale, aged 41 years. Funeral services at Bresee Bros. Co., Broadway and Sixth, at 3 o'clock today.

WARREN—In this city, February 18, 1904, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Ira Seahorn, 2304 Clay street, Alta A., beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Warren of West Berkeley, aged 26 years 4 months. Remains at John R. Paul's undertaking parlors. Interment at Oakland, Cal. San Francisco and Oakland papers please copy.

HAMMOND—In this city, February 16, Frederick Hammond, aged 64 years. The funeral services will be under the auspices of Southern California Lodge, No. 278, F. & A. M., Thursday at 2 p.m., from Masonic Temple.

Royal Arcanum.

LOS ANGELES COUNCIL, NO. 1489, R. A. ATTENTION MEMBERS!

All members of the council, and sister councils, are earnestly requested to attend the funeral of our late Brother Frederick Hammond, Thursday, February 18, 1904, at 2 o'clock p.m., at Masonic Temple, No. 433 South Hill street.

E. R. WALKER, Regent.

Southern California Lodge, No. 278, F. & A. M., will convene at Masonic Temple, Thursday, February 18, at 1:30 p.m., to attend the funeral of our late brother, Frederick Hammond.

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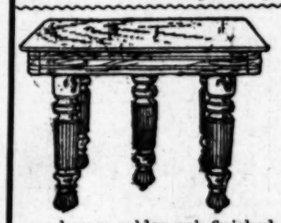

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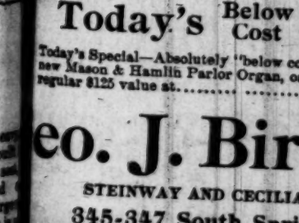

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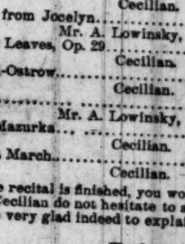

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From abject poverty to luscious riches in practically a day, is an experience vouchsafed to few mortals; but a man has been in Los Angeles several days who has enjoyed this sensation.

C. H. Reeves of Burke, Idaho, is the fortunate individualy who can now draw a check written in six figures, whereas two short years ago he was without a dollar.

"Huckleberry" Reeves, as he is familiarly known throughout Idaho, is a character in mining history. His money comes from the Hercules mine in such a steady stream that he has never found time to spend it, and that is why he came to Los Angeles a few days ago with his wife and daughter, "just to see something of the country." Reeves's income is estimated at about $125,000 per year now, but the Hercules is producing silver-lead ore at such a rapid rate, and the ore bodies are so large, that it looks as though Mr. Reeves's income would soon pass the automobile fad notch, and come easily into the private-car-private-steam-yatch-class.

WHY CALLED "HUCKLEBERRY."

Reeves's pseudonym was not applied to him because he resembled Mark Twain's famous character of the Mississippi River, but because the little blueberries which grow so plentifully on the slopes of Idaho's mountains, enabled him to make his fortune out of the Hercules.

For many weary years Reeves had followed the life of a prospector, always hopeful of striking it rich, some day, and patiently enduring the hard knocks that are always a feature of the business. Finally the Hercules was located and the tedious work of developing a mine was begun. Of course, all locations of a prospector are "mines" to begin with, in their imagination, but this one looked especially attractive. But powder cost money and a prospector had to be fed and clothed, and here is where the wife and daughter came in for their share in the mine's development. While Reeves stuck to his drill, Mrs. Reeves and her daughter picked huckleberries and sold them. Then the big ledge was opened up, and—"Presto, change!"—Another American millionaire.

REFUSED $10,000,000.

That was less than two years ago and now the mine is owned by nine men and women who are said to have refused $10,000,000 for their property. That is the story which has gone out from the Coeur d'Alenes, but Mr. Reeves prefers not to discuss the matter. As the story goes, the Gould and Rockefeller people, who have recently invested many millions in the Coeur d'Alenes, approached the owners of the Hercules with an offer of $10,000,000; but the owners had seen only the seamy side of life until the Hercules changed the order of events, and one of them tersely remarked: "We don't want to sell our mine to no capitalists."

This sentiment was heartily concurred in by all, so it is probable that the Hercules will go on grinding out dividends for its nine fortunate owners for many years to come.

HIS TASTES ARE SIMPLE.

When Mr. Reeves arrived in Los Angeles he told one of his friends accompanying him that he didn't care for these "new-fangled, high-toned hotels," so the Hotel Rosslyn was selected and there he has remained quietly while enjoying this salubrious climate. Whenever he appeared in public with his wife, he was the cynosure of all eyes about the hotel and this seemed to annoy him, for his visit was suddenly terminated yesterday, when he left for New Orleans.

The Hercules mine is considered a wonder in the mining world. During 1903, the property produced very nearly one million dollars, the crude ore being shipped to the smelter at Everett, Wash., without being milled. Some idea of the value of the product can be obtained when it is stated that the ore runs a fraction less than $100 per ton, while the concentrates from the other Coeur d'Alene mines averages only about $55 to the ton. The owners of the Hercules are C. H. Reeves, R. L. Day, August Paulson, Mrs. E. B. Boyce, Dan Cordoner, Sylvester Markwell, L. W. Hutton, H. F. Samuels and Frank Rothrock.

HELD A DIRK AT HIS BREAST.

GEORGE H. MASON ROBBED BY THREE MEXICANS.

Overhauled Him at Washington Street and Naomi Avenue Last Evening as He Was About to Take a Car for His Home in Compton.

George H. Mason, whose home is in Compton, was held up and robbed shortly before 10 o'clock last night near the corner of Washington street and Naomi avenue by three Mexicans of whom he was later unable to give any description.

Mason had been to the home of a friend in the southeastern part of the city and walked east along Washington street toward Naomi avenue intending to take a car on the Long Beach line, which runs along Naomi avenue. As he approached the corner he passed three men also going east and after he had passed one of them seized him around the waist and held him while another drew a large dirk knife and held it against his breast, commanding him to make no outcry. The third of the party searched his pockets taking his gold watch and chain and $5. Some papers yere also taken but when told they were valuable only to him were returned.

After the robbery the Mexicans released their victim and told him to go on while they walked leisurely west along Washington street. In the darkness Mason was unable to see his assailants closely enough to be able to describe them.

Instead of taking a car to Long Beach Mason boarded one coming from the other direction and went at once to Police Headquarters and reported the robbery. He gave a detailed description of his watch and if the robbers are ever captured it will be through their efforts to dispose of the timepiece.

THREE NEW WELLS.

The Union Oil Company reports the bringing in of three new wells in the past few days. At Fullerton, No. 30 was brought in yesterday, with a fine flow at a depth of about 1300 feet. At No. 31 the drill has been at work in the oil formation almost from the surface.

WHY MRS. PATTERSON RAWHIDED BACKUS.

MOTORMAN BURR BACKUS richly deserved the thrashing he got from a rawhide in the hands of Mrs. Patterson Monday afternoon.

As the truth comes out it appears that he had proven false to his own wife, a pretty young woman in Pasadena, and had betrayed Mrs. Patterson. She alleges that Backus had always represented himself to her as a single man and had promised to marry her after her wronged husband had discarded her.

Mrs. Patterson was the wife of a fireman of Hose Company No. 1, Alexander Dye Patterson, who secured a divorce from her seven months ago on the ground of infidelity.

"We had a nice home, and Backus ruined it," said Fireman Patterson yesterday. "He came between us and robbed me of my wife. I threatened to kill him and he begged me with tears in his eyes not to do it. He promised to stay away and I let him off, but he kept coming around and making trouble for me and my wife. He married a nice girl in Pasadena a year and a half ago, but always pretended he was single. But for him we would be living in our home today. I begged of him for the sake of my little girl, 3 years old, to keep away, but he ruined us, he ruined us!"

Mrs. Patterson said yesterday that she horsewhipped Backus because he had promised to marry her and support her, but had broken his word and cast her aside after luring her away from her own home.

"He kept telling me he would give me money," she said yesterday, with tears in her eyes, "but he never made good. I had a nice home and a buggy and a good husband, and he robbed me of all. Why did I let him fool me, why did I!" she exclaimed yesterday, with tears in her eyes.

Mrs. Patterson declared that there was no other man in the case—that she did not know a man named Rupe, and never rode with any such man on the cars. She said she has been living with a family in Alhambra, and has only traveled on the cars with Backus, whom she beseeched to be true to his promises, as she is in sore straits. "He kept promising and promising and hounding me, and at last I made up my mind to punish him," she said.

Mrs. Patterson is a petite brunette, 25 years old, vivacious and attractive. She is a native daughter, connected with one of the old Spanish families. The Patterssons' house is at No. 136 North Main street.

DIVORCED WIFE OF ALEXANDER DYE PATTERSON WHO THRASHED MOTORMAN ON ALHAMBRA LINE.

BIG TRAINS IN BLOCKADE.

Rain Will Give Espee Fair Chance to Catch up.

Unprecedented Freight Rush Staggers Motive Power.

All Other Goods Held Back for Perishable Stuff.

The unprecedented growth of the freight business of the Southern Pacific Company has placed a strain on Southern California shipping facilities which it is difficult to meet.

The growth has been so rapid that the utmost efforts of the officers of the company to provide additional trackage and motor power have been unable to meet demands. It is the intention to remove the old shops of the company at River Station in this city as soon as possible and place trackage on the ground where they now stand. In addition to this plan, several thousand feet of tracks are being laid on the other side of the river in the vicinity of the pigeon farm. Of the fourteen new engines which were sent down here a few weeks ago, nine have been sent to Albuquerque because of the increased demand there and it is expected that more engines will arrive here shortly.

"Few people know what a blessing this rain is to us," said Chief Dispatcher Sweetser of the San Joaquin division at River Station yesterday. "It is first of all a blessing because it assures us of a big freight business next season, but what interests us at present is that it gives us the opportunity to clear our yard and get freight moving over the line. During the rain there will be no oranges shipped and that means at least 100 cars a day less to be handled. We would like to see the rain continue for several days and then perhaps we could catch up with business.

HEAVIEST EVER KNOWN.

"The last three months have seen the heaviest shipping business Southern California has ever known. We have been choked with business and at times it has seemed that we had almost bitten off more than we could chew. The crowded condition has not been characteristic of our Los Angeles yards alone but has been even worse at Santa Barbara, which is the end of the San Francisco division, and at Bakersfield. You may appreciate the condition when I tell you that at one time recently we had over 500 cars at Bakersfield, 200 at Santa Barbara and over 400 here, all Eastbound freight and ready to move with as much more piling up behind. This does not take into account the freight which is coming in from all points in the United States."

In the handling of the outgoing freight the perishable consignments have the right-of-way and the tonnage of fruit and vegetables has been so heavy that other cargoes have had to wait. The three principal commodities making up the heavy tonnage are oil, oranges and sugar.

"The sugar comes into San Francisco from the Islands," explained Mr. Sweetser, "and is shipped to New Orleans via Los Angeles. The boats come in fleets of four or five and often we have 400 or 500 cars on the way down at once.

"At present a large train of sugar is held up at Santa Barbara because we have no engine and crew to haul it and when it gets here it will have to give way to the perishable freight."

About 150 cars of oil are shipped out of Bakersfield daily. Some of it goes north but a large portion is hauled through this city. At present the oranges for the eastern market are going East via El Paso, but by the middle of next month they will be sent via Ogden and the change will relieve conditions at Colton where the trains are broken and tonnage cut down for the long haul over the hill.

COLTON CROWDED.

"Colton is crowded to the limit with loaded freight cars," said Chief Clerk Archer at the Arcade depot yesterday afternoon. "Orders are going out for the enlarging of the freight yards but we do not seem to be able to keep up with the growth of the business. We handle our engines like infantry companies in an army, but they are needed in so many different places at once that it looks as if it will be necessary for the company to greatly add to the motive power available for this division."

With the completion of the long shipping house at River Station, there is no immediate demand for more house room but the trend of the business shows most conclusively that it will take but a few years of this steady growth to demand a doubling of the present Los Angeles capacities. It is expected that with the completion of the San Pedro harbar the sugar fleets, which are now unloading at San Francisco, will dump down here, thereby saving a 450 mile haul by rail.

TOLD CONFLICTING STORIES.

Clarence E. Logan, who resides in Garvanza, reported to the detectives yesterday that he had been assaulted on South Spring stret near Third, Monday night, by a man and woman, knocked down and robbed of $2.30 and a silver watch. Investigation by the officers showed that Logan had told conflicting stories. He had first reported the matter to Police Sergt. Harris, to whom he had stated that he was knocked down, but no attempt was made to rob him. The officers expressed the belief yesterday that Logan may have said something to the woman and that her escort had felled him. That a hold-up could occur at Third and Spring streets at 10:30 o'clock at night and be witnessed by nobody is considered improbable by the officers.

BRILLIANT AUTHOR AMID THE ANGELS.

YESTERDAY, with its water and mud and slush, was hardly an appropriate occasion for the experience which I enjoyed as a reporter, that of meeting and talking with Mrs. Mary Austin, the author of a wonderful book, "The Land of Little Rain," which is said to smack more of the soil of the desert and its inhabitants than anything which has ever come out of California. Mrs. Austin arrived in Los Angeles yesterday morning.

"I feel apologetic," she said, "in facing a reporter, for I seem to have done so little to be interviewed about; indeed, I felt apologetic all the time I was in San Francisco."

"Why, Mrs. Austin," I stammered, "the book you have written!"

"But I didn't write it," she exclaimed, "it wrote itself. I couldn't help it. Any one would have done it who had lived where I have lived for the last ten or twelve years, and I have been very much astonished at the reception which has been given it, for it all seemed so natural, that I couldn't think it unusual, and yet when I read it over after it was published, I saw it was better than I thought at the time, and, of course, I am happy and pleased."

When I spoke to her about the remarkable fitting of phrase to feeling, in which "The Land of Little Rain" abounds, and which is the hall-mark of genius everywhere, she said: "Why, the land forces it upon one. I am a Californian, not that I was born here, but to be a Californian is a state of mind, and I am in that state of mind. A man asked me once how I ever thought of the expression, 'A hideous maimed noise,' in describing the sound made by a mule, dying of thirst on the desert, but you see that is the noise itself, and no other word could be used."

MARY AUSTIN.

HOME IN A MINING CAMP.

Mrs. Austin's home is in a veritable mining camp in the town of Independence, Inyo county. It is in the country described in the preface of her book, and lies near the ridge of the Sierras and a half day's journey from Death Valley. From the north you may come to the place of her abode by the railroad from Reno, Nev., but her favorite approach is 140 miles of stage travel from the south.

In this isolated spot this cultured, gifted woman has lived for years, meeting all the hardships of daily life in a crude undeveloped country, but coming in time at the very heart and core of it all, to give it out to the world in God's good time. Her husband is in government employ there, and Mrs. Austin has performed all her domestic duties and cared for her one delicate little daughter.

"Have you only one child?" I asked.

"Only one," said she, "but I would have been equal to five or six; one feels equal to big things up there near those illimitable mountains, and there are so few of the trammels of civilization to harass one."

Mrs. Austin remarked with animation that she would like to explode the theory that literary work unfitted a woman for domestic duties.

"Why, I never knew a successful writer who was not also a supremely good cook," she said.

CHARACTERS TRUE TO LIFE.

In writing of the country around her Mrs. Austin said she had altered very few of the names of places, and the people were the very ones she had found there. "Indeed," she continued, "the illustrations were so true to life that I was accused of furnishing photographs for them, and I did in some instances, with slight alterations.

Mrs. Austin said that her sweetest reward in writing the book was the way it was received among the mining people whom she portrayed. "I feared they would not like it," said she, "but instead of that they have all read it, and are fond of it, and each character has been recognized as this one and that one among them."

Upon being asked if she expected always to live in such a secluded spot, there came a dreamy look into Mrs. Austin's eyes, and she said she always expected to keep a home there; she might be away for a year at a time, maybe many years, but she would always go back to it.

The unusual dedication of "The Land of Little Rain," to "Eve, the Comfortress of Unsuccess," is a loving tribute to Mrs. Charles F. Lummis, who was Mrs. Austin's dear friend and comforter before the days when she began to write. Unsuccess in the literary world could hardly be ascribed to Mrs. Austin in any particular, as her very first efforts in the short-story line were crowned with success. She has been writing for five years and has never sent anything out to the world until she first felt satisfied with it herself, and she intends to adhere strictly to this rule for the future.

HAS WRITTEN ANOTHER BOOK.

She has just completed a new book which has been forwarded to the publishers, though the name is still in abeyance. It is a purely romantic story of the early mission days in California, 1820 or thereabouts. No attempt has been made to reproduce the historical characters, though the name of the hero was taken from a list of early Spanish names, Isidro it is, and Mrs. Austin's only doubt about using it is because of the difficulty of pronunciation.

Mrs. Austin has still another story in contemplation which is to be a problem novel, though she says she does not know what the problem is. The story she has, but the problem involved she must work out. She is known as a rapid writer and when I asked her where she did most of her work, she said with a happy smile: "In my neighbor's field where I think it all out beforehand."

It is true, then, what she has written of "My Neighbor's Field," for her book says: "But when I had no more than seen it in the charm of its spring smiling I knew I should have no peace until I had bought ground and built me a house beside it, with a little wicket to go in and out at all hours, as afterward came about."

BIT OF A HEROINE.

Mrs. Austin is not only a good cook, a fine gardener and a patient disciple of Isaak Walton, but as a collector of experience she is unique. On the old stage road leading from Mojave to Coyote Holes this delicate-looking little woman took the place of the intoxicated stage driver, was strapped into the seat and drove four horses to their destination, while the only other passenger, an Englishman who could not drive, took care of her baby.

The only experience she seems to have missed is a hold-up, and one dark night upon this selfsame road she thought for one breathless instant that this had come to her, but instead she was called to pray for a dying man in extremity at the roadside. A mysterious dying man about whom she has only been able to weave the rest of the story from her fertile imagination, for the stage had to go and he was left with his solitary companion.

"The Land of Little Rain" may be a wonderful book, but Mrs. Austin herself is the explanation of its success. She will be for a week the guest of Mrs. Holmes of West Thirty-fifth street.

GIDDY DREAMS TO SHINE 'EM UP.

BILL PLANS GREATEST SHOE SHINERY ON EARTH.

Broadway Bootblack Has Discovered What Venus's Two Missing Arms Were Doing — Fountain Runs Chicken Broth.

Will somebody please gently wake Mistah Willyum Washington?

Since the days of the last boom he has been shining shoes on Broadway, and his doings are of public import.

Bill is about to branch out.

He has a scheme to open up the most gorgeous shinery ever seen on earth. There never was a picture handed down of this feature of King Solomon's lay-out but Bill says his will make the best ever seen look like a burro stable.

Bill has got as far as planning the grand entrance. A gigantic statue of Venus will be there, for Bill has discovered what the lady was doing with her two missing arms, which have puzzled the art world for these many centuries. She had a shoe on one and was polishing it off with the other. How easy!

Behind Venus, there will be a fountain that runs nothing but Manhattan cocktails and chicken broth.

Lining both sides of the foyer there will be a thousand pictures all framed in gilt—each one being of Bill himself.

There's going to be a free lunch run in connection with the shinery—not a thing to be served, but chicken; chicken fried and chicken roasted; chicken broiled and chicken toasted; chicken on the half-shell, chicken cold and not a thing but chicken.

The actual shining will be done by beautiful dark damsels, all in uniform and working to rag-time.

There's 20,000 mirrors, and every patron will have to wear a dress suit.

When it's all done you don't have to pay straight, but you "shoot de bones" with a magnificent creature on a gold chair in a possum skin drum major's suit—that's Bill.

Bill says he has some mining property and intends to use the income from it to build his shop. He must have a radium ledge.

To make any interest on the investment, Bill will have to charge about $3 for the time you sit in the chair. Only a very few of the rich will be able to get as far as a shine.

Bill says, however, there is such a thing as art to be considered above filthy lucre.

ALLEGED CROOK ODDLY CAUGHT.

WANTED ON BURGLARY CHARGE, NABBED AS PICKPOCKET.

William Yeager, Taken to Police Station on Complaint of Man Who Says He Tried to Rob Him, Recognized by Detectives.

William Yeager, for whom the detectives have been searching nearly two weeks, and for whom they have a warrant charging burglary in the first degree, was captured yesterday in an unusual manner, the result of an alleged attempt made by him to pick a man's pocket in a South Spring-street saloon. After his arrest for that he was recognized as the much-wanted alleged burglar.

William Decker, an elderly man who rooms at No. 121½ North Broadway, told Patrolman Cottle at Third and Spring streets yesterday afternoon that a young man had attempted to pick his pocket of a watch in a nearby saloon. Cottle went there and Decker pointed out Yeager as the man. At police headquarters Detectives Murphy and Hawley recognized the prisoner, who was immediately locked up.

The burglary warrant was issued on complaint of J. S. Vallely, steward of the California Club. It is alleged that Yeager, who was an employé of the place, forced an entrance into the room of Findley L. Shepard of the Santa Fé, and stole $2.50. He was seen leaving the room and the money was missed soon after. He immediately left the club and all efforts to locate him had failed.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Police Commission voted yesterday to revoke the saloon licenses of Nick Oswald, Johnny Manning and Samuel Leach for lending aid and comfort, as well as supplying beer, to the denizens of the "crib" district.

The Board of Health decided yesterday to secure measures to abate the smoke nuisance and to change the system of delivering milk.

Mrs. Una Moss, and her husband, Ralph Moss, are seeking to recover from Milton and Joseph Metzler the value of their lemon ranch at Rialto, that they exchanged for Colorado land.

Elizabeth La Rue, fashionable dressmaker, recovered judgment in Justice Young's court yesterday against Mrs. Florence M. Donohue for the making of a dress worn at the Shriners' ball.

The United Moderns have to pay $2000 to Mrs. Ona Mae Robbins, the amount being the insurance upon the the life of her husband, which the fraternity refused to pay over.

Justice Austin opened the door of hope to nine fallen women by accepting their pleas of guilty to the charge of vagrancy, releasing them on floating sentences and appointing Capt. W. H. Auble as their probation officer.

Maj. Horace Bell filed a new notice of appeal and a fresh bill of exceptions in the Ballerino and Wiot case, with Justice Austin.

AT THE CITY HALL.

SALOON LICENSES ARE REVOKED.

POLICE COMMISSION GRANTS ATTORNEY'S REQUEST.

Nick Oswald, Largest Single Owner of Saloon Licenses in the City, Must Pay the Penalty for Dealing With Vice in the "Crib" District.

Without a word of discussion in open session the Police Commission yesterday morning revoked the licenses of three saloons located in the crib district, the order to take effect March 1.

Although there was no dissent spoken at the meeting, and the vote for the revocation of the licenses was unanimous it required an hour of secret conference in the Mayor's sanctum to bring the commissioners to one mind. Acting Mayor Bowen took the lead in the secret discussion and insisted that the Police Commission, after offering to assist the City Attorney could not ignore the request of that official for the revocation of the two licenses. It was stated later that Commissioner Keeney was disinclined to cancel the licenses and favored allowing the proprietors to transfer their saloons to some other location. When he discovered the temper of the other members of the board, Keeney is said to have yielded very gracefully to the programme outlined by Bowen.

Those who suffered for their close association with vice were Nick Oswald, proprietor of the "Pantheon" saloon, Joanny Manning, proprietor of the "Basket" saloon, and Samuel Leach, whose saloon is located at No. 361 Aliso street.

No reference was made to Leach in the City Attorney's communication to the commission, or in the report of Chief Elton, but the Police Commissioners evidently concluded that if they were to take the step at all they might as well take a long one. The "Pantheon" and "Basket" saloons were located in the heart of the crib district and it is said that Leach's saloon did a thriving business because of the immoral traffic in girls.

Acting Mayor Bowen was the better able to judge of the actual situation, as he made a tour of the tenderloin, with a police officer Monday night, as reported in yesterday's issue. He was convinced that the police authorities should not temporize with vice and acted accordingly.

The question of revoking the licenses of the saloons came before the commission on the following report from Chief Elton:

"In regard to the attached communication of City Attorney Mathews, recommending the revocation of the licenses of the 'Pantheon' and 'Basket' saloons, or their transfer to other locations, which was referred to me for investigation and report, I now respectfully report as follows:

"It is a fact, as stated by City Attorney Mathews in his communication, that Nick Oswald, the proprietor of the 'Pantheon' saloon has been arrested upon the charge of 'letting apartments, knowing that the same were to be used for the purposes of prostitution,' and said case is now pending in the Police Court.

"It is also a fact that Joanny Manning, proprietor of the 'Basket' saloon, was for a time bondsmen for some of the 'crib' women, who were arrested, but he has withdrawn from said bonds and is not now, so far as I am advised, on the bond of any of said women.

"The said Nick Oswald states that he is desirous of moving his saloon to a more reputable part of the city, and if given an opportunity to secure a site and a transfer of his saloon license, when he shall make application for the same, he will move his saloon at the earliest possible opportunity.

"As a matter of full justice to both Oswald and Manning, I am compelled to state that both have, considering the class of patrons they have to deal with, conducted their saloons in an orderly manner, and we have had as little or less trouble with their saloons as we have had with the other saloons in that part of the city, which have the same class of patrons."

As soon as this report was read Commissioner Rule recommended that the licenses of both saloons be revoked March 1, the motion was seconded and passed without dissent. Then Commissioner Keeney moved that the license of Samuel Leach on Aliso street be revoked, as he was equally as culpable as Oswald and Manning. This motion was put through with the same celerity and was evidently part of the cut-and-dried programme.

A number of minor transfers of saloon licenses were granted on recommendation of the Chief.

The Crown Hill Improvement Association submitted a general protest against any saloons or liquor stores in the section just west of the Third-street tunnel, which was filed.

Catesby C. Thom appeared for the Board of Education, and protested against the proposed location of a saloon at the corner of Seventh and Mateo streets.

SMOKE PETITION.

FAILED TO REACH COUNCIL.

A communication from the Board of Health asking that the Council devise some means to abate the smoke nuisance has been lost in some mysterious manner, and there is more than a suspicion that it was spirited away from the City Hall. The communication reached the Council and was sent to the committee-room with a reference to the Committee on Legislation. There all trace of it was lost.

These facts were brought out yesterday noon at a meeting of the Board of Health. Commissioner Petterson said that he had tried to find the communication, but without success. He was deputized by the board to continue his efforts.

Many complaints about smoke on the downtown streets have been registered with the board, and at the preceding session it was decided that some legislative measures should be taken by the Council to compel the use of appliances for the consumption of smoke, particularly in the case of the large hotels and big blocks. Frequently a cloud of soot drifts down into the streets from the smokestacks, much to the disgust of pedestrians.

The board will not relax its efforts until the smoke nuisance is abated.

Commissioners Salisbury and Petterson were appointed a committee to cooperate with the Health Officer in making a report on the present system of carrying milk bottles and milk in bulk on the same wagon. The present system is held to be open to criticism, as the drivers are able to fill bottles from the cans while delivering milk. This system does not insure the customer a clean, disinfected bottle, as the receptacle taken from one house may be filled and left at the next.

The board voted to ask the Council to so amend the milk ordinance that the use of paraffine to seal milk bottles would not be compulsory.

Some changes in the milk laws are deemed necessary by the Board of Health, as the present spread of diphtheria over the city is believed to be due in large measure to infection from milk receptacles.

Krause Victorious.

E Pluribus Unum! Building Superintendent Krause has been sustained in his findings. Yesterday afternoon the Board of Arbitration appointed to determine the damage to the property of William and Charles Chick at No. 218 West Fifth street, reported, sustaining the superintendent in the contention that the building had been damaged by fire more than 30 per cent. Krause took the verdict as a complete vindication and ordered all the brass buttons on his new uniform to be polished at once. The owners of the building in dispute were served with an ultimatum yesterday that they must tear down the remnants of the building in forty-eight hours. Unless this is done "G. N." Krause will recruit several battalions of police and advance upon the fortifications. Krause says he can reduce the fortress of the Chicks to the ground in about forty-eight minutes.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

WANTS SWAP CALLED OFF.

RALPH MOSS AND WIFE CLAIM TO HAVE BEEN DEFRAUDED.

Traded Rialto Orchard for Wild Land in Colorado—Bid Made for the Latter in Open Court and Accepted.

A somewhat curious land tangle is being straightened out in Judge Conrey's court. There was a swap of properties, and what on its face was a simple proposition has developed into a snarl that requires a lawsuit to unravel.

The plaintiffs are Ralph Moss and his wife, Mrs. Una E. G. Moss, who used to live at Rialto on a ten-acre lemon ranch owned by Mrs. Moss. They are not typical ranchers, save of the kind that take up ranching or fruit growing because they delight in country life, and not because they have to. Nearly two years ago the idea occurred to the couple that they could make some money by selling their ranch, and when they met Milton and Joseph Metzler and talked the matter over they became more firmly convinced that they could make a deal advantageous to themselves with the orchard. They knew the Metzlers were so circumstanced as to command a good deal of money, and when a proposition was finally made they took it under consideration, and in the end accepted it.

As told by Mr. and Mrs. Moss, the proposition was somewhat to the following effect: The lemon orchard was valued at $6500, and fifteen shares of water stock at $1500, making the orchard have an aggregate value of $8000. The Metzlers, on the other hand, owned 160 acres of land at Trinidad, Colo., which they represented as having many advantages. The Colorado property was said to be located at the mouth of a cañon, and was known there as the "Rugby townsite." It embraced all the land in the bed of the cañon, and, among other improvements, were five miners' houses, a store building, a saloon building, a bottling establishment and two water wells. The buildings were alleged to be rented for $50 a month, and the two wells for $25 a month.

In addition the Mosses averred that it had been represented to them that there were valuable coal mines in the cañon, and that the Colorado and Southern Railroad Company and the Teachers' Mining and Milling Company desired and had to have a right of way across the property for the purpose of gaining access to the mines. This Trinidad property was offered to Mr. and Mrs. Moss on a valuation of $10,000 in exchange for the Rialto lemon orchard, provided Mrs. Moss would give in addition her note for $1000. On this basis the trade was closed in September, 1902.

According to the story told on the witness stand by the plaintiffs yesterday disillusionment quickly followed the transfer. They had accepted the Colorado property on the statements of the Metsiers, and had made no personal examination until after the exchange had been effected. This is what they discovered, so they said: The land is not known as the "Rugby townsite," is not at the mouth of a cañon, the railroad company and Teachers' Mining and Milling Company already own a right of way across the property, and finally barren hills make up an unpleasantly large proportion of the acreage. Being discontented with the way in which their swap had turned out, Mr. and Mrs. Moss tried to swap back again, but at once were confronted with the fact that the Metzlers had sold their old-time lemon orchard to the Barr Realty Company, and that let them out for keeps so far as recovery was concerned. There then was no alternative but to bring suit, and they are now claiming $8000 with accumulated interest, and also ask that the note for $1000 given by Mrs. Moss be canceled.

It was while Mr. Moss was upon the witness stand that the court for the moment was turned into a real estate exchange. He had reiterated the statement that the Trinidad property had been valued by others as well as himself and was not worth more than $850. That was a big drop from $10,000, and Attorney Walter Trask, who had the witness on cross-examination, made the following offer:

"I say right here and now that the defendants offer $4000 for that property, provided that it is in the same state as when handed over," and Mr. Trask leaned back in his chair as if he had made a very generous offer.

The attorney on the other side took exception to a court of justice being turned into a real estate exchange, but waxed somewhat eloquent in his denunciations. While agreeing with him in part, Judge Conrey held that it was not out of order for the defendants to show good faith by making an offer, so much in excess of what plaintiffs claimed the land to be worth.

"Then the defendants renew the offer," repeated Mr. Trask, "that they will give $4000 for the property, providing that it is in the same identical condition—so far as title is concerned—as when the plaintiffs took it."

It was up to the other side to do something. Then the attorney on the other side accepted.

"If that offer is unconditional," said he, "we will accept. We will have the deed here at 2 o'clock, and all that we ask is a certified check for $4000. At the same time we will still have suffered damage to the exent of $5000, and the suit will have to go on just the same."

When court reconvened in the afternoon the Metslers had a certified check for $4000 which was deposited in court. It had not been possible to obtain a deed in the limited time so the sale made under such odd circumstances and surroundings stands over.

Most of the afternoon was given up to reading depositions taken in behalf of the plaintiffs.

Today the other side of the case will be heard.

SAVE THE TRAVELER.

DEPOT SPIELERS CHECKED.

Travelers who have had to fight their way from railroad depots and from the wharfs through a crowd of rubber-lunged spielers for hotels, carriages, and express wagons, and oft have had to endure a good deal of pulling and hauling at the hands of the voracious competitors for patronage, are to fall back to a limit line which has been set by the Board of Supervisors.

An ordinance was adopted yesterday to regulate this soliciting for patronage, and from now on no one will be permitted to ply such vocation within eighty feet of the main entrance to any passenger depot, wharf, landing depot or station in any incorporated city or town in the county. That is no one will be permitted to solicit in "loud, boisterous or offensive manner, or by persistent and repeated importunities," in any street or place within the eighty feet made taboo.

Any infringement of this ordinance is to be considered a misdemeanor and is made punishable by fine not exceeding $100, or by imprisonment not to exceed fifty days in the County Jail.

This ordinance was passed in consequence of a petition filed with the Supervisors by all the principal business men, and a number of the residents of Avalon. There the spielers of those grab a passenger's valise and despite all protest deposit him and his belongings just where it pleases them best. The thing has become an unmitigated nuisance, and the ordinance will have the effect of allowing passengers to make their way undisturbed.

ANOTHER FAILURE.

REEDS DIVORCED AGAIN.

Mrs. Jennie Reed celebrated her wedding anniversary yesterday by getting a divorce. Her husband, Ralph Reed, used to be a man quite well-to-do, but the habits acquired during the period of life when his money was free stuck to him when reverses came. Judge Conrey furnished the sequel when he granted a divorce to the wife on the grounds of adultery and cruelty.

The Reeds were first married at San José nine years ago, but Ralph kept on sowing wild oats, and it was not long before there was trouble in the household. He abused his wife, and when they went to live in San Francisco he played the part of bear so well that Mrs. Reed had no difficulty in getting her divorce on the ground of cruelty. That was in December, 1902. One of their friends thought it a pity that the Reeds should have parted, and displayed such finesse in bringing them together again that sure enough they agreed to forget the past and begin all over, so February 16, 1903, they were remarried, and started out to try and make a success of it. In order to do so under the most advantageous circumstances they came to Los Angeles to live, but it was not long before Ralph began his old tricks. He would come home with the milk in the morning, and anything in the shape of a remonstrance from his wife was met with vulgarity and abuse. On one occasion he threw a lighted lamp at her. He wasn't at all choice in selecting his missiles.

To cap the climax his brother-in-law discovered that he was associating with lewd women, and when the fact was proven beyond doubt Mrs. Reed determined to get her second divorce. On the very anniversary of her second marriage to the same man she got her divorce.

SAD STORY RETOLD BY MRS. GRIFFITH.

STRAINING for dramatic effect in the Griffith trial yesterday, the lawyers made Mrs. Griffith get down from the witness stand and show her sightless eye socket to each of the jurors in turn, holding up her veil and dark glasses while each of the twelve looked her scars and deformities critically over.

It was not dramatic at all, but pitiful and one of the most painful incidents that ever happened in Judge Smith's court.

The bitterness that Mrs. Griffith feels against her husband is so intense, however, that she eagerly followed the slightest suggestion of her lawyers, even to this.

Her feeling showed again when she tried to patch over that fatal remark of hers—made at the shooting—upon which Griffith's lawyers have seized to make an insanity defense.

When help came to her a few minutes after the shooting, her first remark was: "Don't let him in; he shot me; he was crazy; he must be crazy."

When she got to this yesterday, she said hurriedly: "I said 'he must be crazy,' but I just said it in an offhanded way. I didn't mean it."

She was on the witness stand nearly all afternoon yesterday and broke down again and again, telling her story, so that most of the recital was in the ears of the jurors in a voice tremulous with suppressed tears.

She would not notice Mr. Griffith while she told the dramatic story of his attack upon her. He sat far down the table, shoved along by his lawyers, helpless and impotent, sometimes eagerly fumbling over a bundle of cards he took from his pocket, but more often leaning over the table and watching her with troubled, anxious eyes, his face turning white and red by turns.

It came out that Griffith had intended to ask his wife one more question before he shot her on her knees before him, one more dreadful thing the others, but for some reason did not. The question was read yesterday in court.

When court adjourned, Judge Smith gave some pointed instructions to the jurors. It was a hint about as strong as a brick house falling on them.

He said: "If anyone on either side of this case attempts any handshaking or tries to get familiar on the side while this case is in progress, I want you to take his name and report to me."

A crowd of people, as many as could possibly jam into the courtroom, waited all day while they were going through the dull process of selecting a jury.

The day began with the announcing of a new lawyer for the defense, J. W. McKinley, Esq., making the fourth.

About 2:30 it was announced that the last juror had been chosen and A. B. Noble, a Deputy County Surveyor, was called to the stand to explain a map of Griffith's rooms at the Hotel Arcadia where the shooting took place September 3.

MRS. GRIFFITH CALLED.

Finally Attorney Gage drawled, "Er, Mr. Sheriff, will you be so kind as to call Mrs. Griffith to the stand?"

She was a long time getting through the crowd, finally coming in with Mrs. Mesmer and Mrs. Whipple.

She was veiled so heavily in black that no part of her face could be seen. Her black glasses peered out from under her heavy black veil. She wore a blue gown dotted with white, and a brown fur cape.

When she got to that part of the now threadbare story where Griffith came into their room with a pistol in his hand and bade her get on her knees and answer his questions, she burst into tears and could not go on for some time.

"He told me to take my prayer book and get down on my knees; that he had some questions to ask me," she said in a voice quivering with tears.

"I asked him to put the pistol away. Oh, I begged him to please put it away."

Her voice broke again and they had to wait until she could go on.

"I saw that I was in the hands of a desperate man," she said, "so I asked him if I might have time to pray. He said I might, so I knelt and raised my eyes and prayed."

She then said that he pulled out a paper from his pocket and asked her three questions. This was the dialogue they had there, she on her knees, and he standing over her with a pistol in his hand:

"Did you ever know of Briswalter being poisoned in your house?"

Mrs. Griffith: No, he was not poisoned; he died of blood poisoning brought on from a sore foot. He——

Griffith: That will do. Have you been implicated with or do you know of anyone having given me poison?

Mrs. Griffith: Why, papa, you know I never harmed a hair of your head.

Griffith: Have you ever been untrue to me?

Mrs. Griffith: Papa, you know I never have.

Earl Rogers produced the card on which these questions were written yesterday; it was the back of a menu card. Griffith had one more question there in which he asked her if she would swear she would never have criminal relations with any other man, and if she would swear not to object to the Hollywood monument he intended erecting to himself. She said she never asked this question.

"He only asked the three questions and then he shot me," she said, sobbing again. "I said, 'Why did you shoot me?' and then I went out of the windows to the porch below, falling on my back. My only thought was to get out dead or alive."

A hush fell on the court as she ceased talking and sat there sobbing softly.

Then Rogers broke the silence by saying very slowly and gently, "I move that it be stricken out—what she says her only thought was."

That was the most notable objection that probably will be made in the entire trial; it's the only one that went yesterday without a regular Donnybrook row, and is the only one likely to escape in the future without one.

THE ROW BEGINS.

Too many lawyers!

Rogers would ask a question; the District Attorney would object; retort to the D. A. would follow from Maj. Jones; slap back at Jones from Dockweiler; dig at Dockweiler from McKinley; swat at McKinley from Mr. Gage; crack at Gage from Luther Brown.

Before they go through, that simple, plaintive little objection would go resounding and reverberating and reechoing and roaring around for fifteen minutes, until Judge Smith would be on the point of adjourning for the afternoon to let them fight it out.

"You say you were making demands for a settlement of your property interests——" began Mr. Gage.

"Wait a minute," said Rogers, jumping up.

"Wait a minute yourself," snapped back the ex-Governor savagely. "I think it is improper for counsel to put in while I am propounding a question."

She finally was allowed to say that they had had a difficulty over her property because Griffith never would give her a statement. She also recited over again the times in the Hotel Fremont and the Nadeau when he previously threatened to kill her. They also had her tell again how she had threatened to leave him not long before the shooting, and made him take oath on a Bible not to drink to excess any more.

On account of the insanity defense, she was not asked to tell how Griffith had for years suspected her of trying to poison him and had frequently made her change plates with him at table.

When it came to cross-examination she sat bolt up in her chair, playing with the chain of her purse while Rogers kept poking questions at her suggestive of her husband's insanity, trying to show that for years he had made her the object of unfounded and senseless charges.

"When he asked if you had been implicated in giving him poison did you say you had not?"

"Yes."

"And was that the truth?"

"It was God's truth," she said, beginning to cry again.

Rogers wanted to ask her more questions about Griffith's notions about poison, but he was met with vigorous objections because the subject had not been touched on in cross-examination.

"Then I will make her my own witness and ask her," said Rogers, with a happy thought.

"Then do it," said Gage, savagely, again.

But the District Attorney would not let him do it.

It would be a good story in itself how that was finally got before the jury: it would be a story of wit matched against wit and legal guile pitted against legal guile. But it would take too long to tell.

QUESTIONS SLIP IN.

Rogers at last slipped the questions into the record by exercising his right to read portions from the preliminary transcript in an effort to impeach her.

The questions he selected to read were the questions in which she had been asked about this very thing and which she had answered by telling of Griffith's crazy idea that she was trying to poison him.

Rogers approached another point gingerly.

"I don't mean to ask it as a question, of course, but merely for the purpose of the record: I suppose you had never given your husband any reason to suspect your being untrue to him?"

"No, sir."

"In fact, you had always been unusually circumspect in that regard, had you not, in order that he should have no possible excuse for these accusations?"

"I was always a pure, good woman," she said quietly.

When court adjourned at 4:30, Rogers announced that he would cross-examine Mrs. Griffith further today.

husband is a day laborer. Judge Wilbur told him he supposed that he could pay $15 a month for the support of his wife at the State hospital, and the man said that he would. He accepted the supposition of the court as an order, and will have to pay from his slender store when others far better able to pay escape all cost.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

DOOR OF HOPE WIDE OPEN.

CONDEMNED CYPRIANS GIVEN A CHANCE TO REFORM.

Justice Austin Gives Them Floating Sentences and Makes Them Wards of Capt. Auble—Heaney's Easy Money—Maj. Bell's Last Appeal.

If Capt. Auble's wards obey the injunctions of the court he will hold weekly receptions for the next six months, which will be largely attended by the elite from the now deserted cribtown.

Nine of the French women who went back to the cribs after they were closed by the police, appeared before Justice Austin yesterday morning with their attorney, E. L. Hutchison, and their private guide, philosopher and friend, ex-Councilman and Councilman-to-be (if his plans do not miscarry) Tom Savage, and asked to have their pleas of not guilty to the charge of vagrancy, changed to guilty, instead of putting the court and citizens to the trouble of having a jury trial in each case.

Justice Austin accepted their revised plea gladly and tempered justice with mercy by giving them all suspended sentences. He made the penalty in each case a fine of $150 or imprisonment in the City Jail for a term of 150 days, in case the defendants are again caught sinning.

The court gave the unfortunate women some fatherly advice, saying he hoped they would embrace the opportunity to lead better lives. He held the door of hope wide open and invited them to enter. Capt. Auble, whose reputation for continuity and integrity is unquestioned, was appointed as probation officer for the bunch of soiled doves, and they were instructed to report to him at least once a week for the next six months, with the assurance that he would help all of them to lead chaste and purer lives if they had any desire to reform. The captain, on the other hand, was instructed to keep close tab on them, and if any of them were caught returning to the old life to bring them at once into the custody of the court for service of the sentence.

Justice Austin justified his action in dealing thus leniently with the culprits, on the ground that Mr. Beebe, the prosecuting attorney, was of the opinion that the ends of justice would be subserved by so doing.

The bail money which the women had up was refunded to each one of them, and they were bidden to go their way and sin no more.

It is understood that most of the condemned women will leave the city at once. Stateman Savage is authority for the statement that none of them could be induced to go back to cribtown for $500 spot cash, or be dragged back by a ten-mule team.

"When those girls are promised protection and they don't get it, they will never trust the party again that promised to protect them, see?" said the Eighth Ward savant.

The girls from the Buckley cribs are very sore over the treatment they received at the hands of Chris Buckley's agent, John Heaney. It is stated on good authority that Heaney extorted sums ranging from $21 to more than $100 from the women he enticed back into his cribs, under the promise that he would protect them from molestation by the law, and they were to pay in addition a rental of $3 a day. His pull, if he ever had any, proved to be no good, and the women were in the end compelled to bail themselves out of jail, and if their fines had been enforced they would have had to pay them out of their own pockets. Heaney is said to be about $649 to the good as the result of this transaction. This is a mere bagatelle, however, compared with the revenues he and Buckley, Ballerino et al. derived from the rent of the crib properties, before the police closed up the dens of vice.

Maj. Horace Bell, attorney for Bartolo Ballerino, appeared before Justice Austin yesterday afternoon and filed another notice of appeal and a new bill of exceptions, in the case of the people vs. Ballerino and Wiot, for renting property for immoral purposes. The latest appeal is on account of the court's refusal to settle the original bill of exceptions on the day it was filed, which was a physical impossibility. Justice Austin will not pass on the matter before tomorrow.

VAT YOU DINKS OF DAT?

JOB PUT UP ON URBAN.

After spending nearly two weeks in the City Jail, Max Urban and Mrs. Mary Brunolt were released yesterday, and the adultery complaint against them was dismissed by Justice Austin, on motion of Deputy District Attorney Frederickson, who was of the opinion that there was not sufficient evidence to convict.

Urban's temporary immurement appears to have been inspired by parties who had designs on his property, or rather property that he lays claim to, and was holding possession of in spite of attempts to take it away from him.

Urban is a simple German blacksmith, who for several years, has been living in a small shack on Western avenue, near Washington street. The title to the property which he occupied has been in litigation for some time, but possession being considered "nine points in law," Urban had a little bit the best of the controversy. Urban kept close watch of the place and refused to be moved off.

Some weeks ago Mrs. Brunolt, the wife of a brewery employé and mother of several children, took up her abode with the little German blacksmith, who had been leading sort of a hermit life. Urban alleges that he hired the woman to be his housekeeper, but one of the neighbors, William Gosan, swore out a complaint against the couple for living in adultery.

Urban and the woman were to have their preliminary examination today, but finding that the evidence against them was very slim, Mr. Frederickson had them brought into court yesterday and asked to have the complaint dismissed.

While Urban was in jail, the parties who had been trying to oust him from the real estate holdings, moved his house off the lot, and left it standing in a street outside the city limits.

Urban had a lot of poultry and several dogs, and while he was imprisoned somebody stole all of his chickens.

"Now vat you dinks of dat?" asked Urban, yesterday, when he regained his liberty and learned that all he had left was his dogs and Mrs. Brunolt.

IT COST FIELD FORTY.

PENALTY FOR TOTING GUN.

T. N. Field and his doting mother and aunt were given a hard shock yesterday, when Justice Chambers fined the young man $40 for carrying a concealed weapon. That was at the rate of about $1 a minute that he went armed.

The trouble all came about difficulty young Field had with Charles H. English, a guest at the Washington, D. C., who for the winter in Los Angeles was rooming, until a few days ago, at a lodging-house kept by Field at No. 832 South Broadway. Field and the landlady's niece became chummy that the latter finally dressed the former as "Dad," and very well until English began to suspect that Field was trying to "work" him. He took Field to task for the use to whom he had for company, and Field apologized, saying it was a mere offense. The doctor would not accept the apology, and in the altercation that ensued, English threatened Field full of holes with a gun, which he exhibited.

Field wanted to eject English from the house, but changed his mind when he saw the gun. He then armed, himself, at the time of the row, made a retreat and hied himself to the police station and swore out a warrant for the arrest of English on a charge of carrying a concealed weapon. English was arrested, and put up the cash bail for his appearance in court for trial next Thursday.

After complaining against Field reinforced his courage with a few drinks, and, arming himself with a big revolver, went looking for Field, and is alleged to have made threats that he would shoot on sight. This matter coming to the ears of the police, Officer Hall was sent to investigate. He found Field intoxicated and a gun in his hip pocket.

Field had his trial yesterday, and was fined $40 with the alternative. Field's female friends were witnesses in the case, and the penalty imposed was considered severe, but the fine was paid.

Mathewson Got Off.

John Mathewson, a [illegible] got drunk and raised a row with his wife and mother-in-law at his home at No. 764 Castelar street several weeks ago, changed his mind after having a jury trial, and yesterday meekly entered a plea of guilty before Judge Grogan, who made the discovery that Mathewson used improper language in the presence of his own children that he was ordered to repeat it in the hearing of a number of Cyprians who were in the court room. The citizens summoned on the case were excused, and Mathewson was let off with a sentence of twenty days, in consideration of change of plea. He paid the fine.

Petty Thieves Sent Up.

Charles Yost, a hotel employé who stole a watch for a joke, was given a sentence of $30 or thirty days in the police station.

Will Cramer, who stole a watch and got caught in the act by Officer Swatted him with an umbrella and held him until a policeman arrested him, was given a sentence of $40 or forty days.

Young Bike Thief Sent Up.

Officer Hosick yesterday arrested two boys, William Fawver and Louis Flores, charged with stealing bicycles. Fawver was charged with stealing a wheel from a bicycle stable, and will be prosecuted in the Superior Court for grand larceny.

John Heaney's Bail Forfeited.

Louis Flores was held to answer on a charge of burglary yesterday by Justice Austin. Flores, evidently hearing that John Heaney was making a big splurge with money by renting cribs and installing fallen women, was caught prowling around Heaney's apartments in the Chinese cook, and handed over to the police.

O'Brien Pleads Guilty.

J. H. O'Brien, a saloonkeeper who was arrested by Officer Hosick Saturday night for conducting a gambling game on South Main street, pleaded guilty in the Police Court yesterday, and was sentenced to pay a fine of $100. O'Brien was released on bail issued by the City Clerk, and proceeded to conduct a "bank" game in which he induced many to participate. He did not count with the officer, however, who paid his fine, and asked the court to return his gambling outfit, which the captain held that it was his property and refused to do so.

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Dr. Swensson Succumbs to Pneumonia.

a Distinguished Educa-r, Orator and Preacher.

d. Carl A. Swensson, Ph. D. D.D., ident of Bethany College, Linds-Kan., and one of the most distin-Swedish-Americans in the States, died in the California al, this city, at 1:30 o'clock yes-morning.

Swensson arrived in Los An-last Saturday night from San to be a guest at the home of A. Edlund, pastor of the Swed-Evangelical Lutheran Church, ath and Hope streets. In San he was drenched by rain ed a severe cold which the pneumonia immediate-arrival in this city. afternoon his condition ming that he was re-the Edlund home at No.

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berg said: "Dr. the very life of Beth-any College, and I do not know how we will get along without him."

Mr. Coleson said: "I have known him since boyhood and a better or more useful man never lived."

Mr. Anderson said: "He was one of the foremost men of Scandinavian origin in the United States and was held in high esteem by President Roosevelt, who was his earnest friend. His death is not only a loss to the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Church, but to the entire country."

Dr. Swensson did not believe that he was going to die when he was removed to the hospital. As late as Monday morning he was conscious and conversed cheerfully with his friends. He asked them not to alarm his family by telegraphing them news of his illness, for he believed that he would soon be well. Mayor Thorstenberg, however, fearing the worst, telegraphed Mrs. Swensson that her husband was down with pneumonia, so as to prepare her for the shock that was to come later. Arrangements were also made with the Santa Fé Railway Company for transportation for Mrs. Swensson in the event she desired to come here to nurse her stricken husband, but she probably received the message announcing his death before she could get ready to start.

Although the friends of the sick man kept close watch at the hospital, he passed away at a moment when none of them happened to be present.

The body was taken in charge by Pierce Bros., undertakers, who embalmed it for shipment, and it was started East last night, accompanied by Dr. Abrahamson of Chicago and Mr. Anderson and daughter of Sioux City, Iowa.

Dr. Swensson leaves a wife and two daughters, aged 18 and 20, respectively. He is also survived by two brothers, one of whom is superintendent of a Swedish orphans' home at Jamestown, N. Y.

A SINGLE FARE EVERYWHERE.

METHODISTS GET THE RATE FROM OCEAN TO OCEAN.

Augurs a Large Addition to the Number of People Who Will Attend the General Conference—Delegates Are Being Rapidly Enrolled.

There is great rejoicing among the Methodist promoters of the general conference over the victory they have won with the Trunk Line Traffic Association.

Over the lines controlled by the other two associations they had previously secured a rate of a single fare for the round trip, to all persons coming to the conference, but the Trunk Line Association held to a one and one-third rate. The question was taken up by the Methodists with great vigor, however, and yesterday Dr. Brodbeck, chairman of the Railroad Committee, received notice that they had won the day, and the rate is now but a single fare for the round trip from any point on the continent—less than that from Chicago, only $50. From ocean to ocean people will for the first time, it is said, be able to travel at this rate from any point.

There is great rejoicing among the managing committees here, who regard it as meaning a very large increase in the number of people who will visit Los Angeles during the meeting of the great convention.

S. P. Mulford, chairman of the Hotel Committee, has now on his list the names of almost 500 accredited delegates, and new names are coming in every mail. This indicates an early enrollment of the entire body, and consequently a speedy and early adjustment of the very difficult problem of finding homes for all of them. Mr. Mulford says his committee has the thing well in hand and by the time the first delegates arrive there will be nothing to do but send them to their appointed homes.

AMERICAN EDUCATORS.

National Association Will Meet in St. Louis During Time of the Exposition.

The forty-third annual convention of the National Educational Association will be held in St. Louis this year, July 5 to 9, inclusive, thus affording opportunities for those who attend that meeting to also see the great St. Louis Exposition. Superintendent Foshay is in receipt of information regarding the plans and programme for the meeting, and the details are of interest.

The Exposition Committee has made liberal provision in a special building for educational exhibits, and the prospect is that this exhibit will be the largest, best selected, and most representative of the kind ever yet gathered at any exposition, affording opportunity to the association to aid, as possibly no other agency could do, in rendering these educational exhibits most profitable to international educational interests.

It is proposed to modify the usual programme for the convention by making the various features of the exhibits the chief topics for papers and discussions. The various sessions will be limited in number and length, in order that the papers and discussions may be practically applied in studying the exhibits. Each department will hold two sessions, as usual. The general sessions, four only in number, will be devoted to discussions of the various national educational systems as illustrated by the exhibits. The presence and cooperation of eminent foreign educators are assured to present the characteristics of their respective systems and to assist in a comparative and intelligent study of their illustrative exhibits.

DEATH OF E. W. BABCOCK.

Former Business Man in Badger State Passes Away—Well-known in Local Business Circles.

E. W. Babcock died at his home, No. 1443 Bush street, at 8 o'clock Monday morning.

Prior to coming to Los Angeles nine years ago, Mr. Babcock was a leading business man of Edgerton, Wis. After locating here he acted as agent for the New York Life Insurance Company and also engaged in the oil business. He was also the proprietor of several fine ranches near Los Angeles.

Mr. Babcock was a man of sterling character and leaves a large circle of friends to mourn his loss. A widow, four sons and one daughter also survive him. One of the sons is with Marshal Field & Co., Chicago, another is a merchant at Edgerton, Wis., and the two younger ones are students at the State University at Berkeley. The daughter is living with her mother.

The funeral will be held at Peck & Chase's undertaking parlors at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The body will be shipped to Edgerton, Wis., for burial.

BETHLEHEM INSTITUTIONAL CHURCH, Vignes and Ducommun streets. Donations of cast-off clothing, furniture and bedding solicited. Telephone John 361 for wagon.

OPERATIONS A FAD.

Public Gradually Awakens to the Fact.

The latest fad in operations has been the appendicitis fad; before that the fad for rectal operations (piles, etc.,) held sway. Hundreds of patients were frightened and hurried into hospitals, operated upon and robbed of their last dollar, when the trouble was a simple case of hemorrhoids or piles only, easily cured at home with a simple remedy costing but fifty cents a box.

"I procured one fifty cent box of Pyramid Pile Cure of my druggist, with the intention of buying a larger box later, but was happily surprised when I found that I was cured, and still have six 'pyramids' left out of the first and only box. I have not had the least sign of piles since I used this one box, which has been about two months; previous to using Pyramid Pile Cure I had the worst kind of bleeding and protruding piles for over thirty-one years, and no one knows, except those who have had the piles, the pain and misery I suffered.

"I am a poor man, but have often said I would give a fortune, if I had it, to be cured of the piles, and now I have been cured for fifty cents. I should be very ungrateful if I did not thank you and give you every privilege to use my name and this letter, when I know there are so many who suffer as I did." J. A. Weismiller, 1100 Bladensburg Road, Washington, D. C.

The Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., publish a little book on the causes and cure of piles, which they will be glad to mail free to any applicant, and we advise all sufferers from this painful disease to write to them for it.

SIX NATIONS THERE.

Interesting Meeting of the Federation of Christian Missionary Workers Yesterday.

The Woman's Federation of the Christian Missionary Alliance held an all-day meeting at the First Baptist Church yesterday.

Adjt. Wolf of the Salvation Army and Capt. Hughes of the Volunteers of America were among the speakers, and their realistic recital of experiences in their work among the masses, deeply moved their hearers.

Another exceptionally interesting speaker was Mrs. Buckwalter, of Liberia, Africa. She stated that the Christian work there has made such progress that the native chiefs are now sending requests for teachers to come to their villages. She said that there are still 150,000,000 of the natives who have never heard the gospel.

Rev. H. Grattan Guinness of London talked upon the necessity of righteousness in any nation if it would prosper, and called attention to the work of Mormonism going on among the people of Los Angeles. He warned his hearers that it was a subject that demanded their earnest attention.

A young woman from India appeared in costume and talked of her people, to the delight of all. She will speak again in the Boyle Heights Presbyterian Church on February 25, at 2 o'clock p.m.

Six different nations were personally represented in yesterday's meeting—India, Africa, Japan, China, Mexico and America—and it was most interesting throughout.

SAN DIEGO.

AFTER THE CRIB OWNERS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The first case brought by the Purity League against owners of crib property, Neiderman being the defendant, fell through today because of the absence of Annie White, principal witness for the prosecution, who cannot be found. The managers of the campaign have decided to proceed against the owners of crib property.

THE TIMES IN SAN DIEGO.—Sold regularly by Harry Orcutt, authorized agent, at No. 1256 C street, and by J. C. Packard, No. 851 Fifth street; Loring & Co., No. 752 Fifth street; Gray's Book Exchange, No. 1628 F street; McKee, No. 1024 D street, and at the Hotel Robinson.

The following-named dealers refuse to sell The Times because they lack the courage to stand up against the small faction of local labor-unionists and their newspaper allies who have joined forces in boycotting The Times in San Diego, viz.: Snyder, No. 434 Fifth street; Avery & Jones, No. 429 Fifth street; Sam Taylor, No. 865 Fifth street, and Percival Wood. The latter, especially, has shown double-dealing, hypocrisy and cowardice by his course. Independent citizens who have a contempt for the boycotting know where to find The Times.

CORONADO BEACH.

BREVITIES AND PERSONALS.

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, Feb. 16.—Mrs. Charles Stonehill and Miss Spaulding were the winners of the silver cups presented by Mrs. William Nelson Mann and Miss Jarecki for yesterday's golf tournament. Mrs. Stonehill's score was 79 net and Miss Spaulding's 80. The other players of the tournament were Mrs. Herbut Munn, Mrs. A. B. Daniels, Miss O. Connor, Miss Sara Gardner, Miss Sanders, Miss Hyman, Mrs. W. C. Johnson, Miss Bacon, Miss Kenneth, Mrs. McCoy.

John J. Byrne, general passenger agent of the Santa Fé, and Edward Chambers, general freight agent of that line, came here yesterday.

A daughter was born yesterday to the wife of Bartlett Richards.

Hugo Johnstone, the longest golf driver in the world, is also an expert fisherman. He made the largest catch of the week yesterday.

A party of Cleveland people at the hotel is composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stubbs, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Dalton and Mrs. S. G. Runyon.

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EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

ON Monday afternoon Mrs. E. L. Hopper of No. 441 West Thirty-third street was at home to the members of that jolly little club, which had its origin in the magic isle of the Pacific, Catalina. The members of the Catalina Card Club make their hobby the scientific game of whist, and with their bi-monthly meetings have managed to keep a pretty fair record. The parlors were made attractive with large clusters of white carnations and ferns, and the dining-room, where refreshments were served, was a mass of scarlet geraniums. A basket of dark red geraniums falling out of it adorned the center of the table, and scattered over the snowy cloth were single brilliant blossoms.

Score cards were formed of valentines with little Cupids perched on top, and red ribbons pending from their necks with two tiny scarlet hearts attached. The prize, a handsome decorated plate, fell to Mrs. Wattlington.

The guests of the club for the afternoon were Mrs. Guy Baldwin, Miss Mae Prentiss, Miss Florence Hopper, Miss Belle Parker and Miss Muriel Stewart.

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For Miss Prewitt.

In honor of Miss Evelyn Prewitt, Count and Mrs. Jaro von Schmidt entertained with a box party at the Mason Operahouse Monday evening, having as their guests Miss Evelyn Prewitt, Mrs. Elizabeth Prewitt, Mr. Chartiers and Volney Howard. After the show a supper was served at one of the downtown cafés.

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La Paloma Club.

The Paloma Club was entertained by Miss Railah Adams at her home, No. 1013 Lincoln street. The first prize was won by Miss Matilda Mahlstedt and the consolation went to Miss Frances Baker.

After the awarding of the prizes, a dainty supper was served. Those present were the Misses Railah Adams, Lena Gaff, Frances Baker, Ella Redman, Lena Fuck, Tilie Mahlstedt and Rose Chavalier; Messrs. Joyce Wright, D. Cooke, Dodge, Mahlstedt and Cummings.

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Tuesday Card Club.

Miss Mabel Miles of Seventh and Beacon streets was at home to the members of the Tuesday Afternoon Card Club yesterday. After the cards were finished pretty prizes were awarded, the first being a water color picture in a golden frame. The other, a quaint candlestick of bronze, caused much comment on its odd shape. Later dainty refreshments were served at the card tables to the guests, who numbered about twenty-five.

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Box Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Otis of Pasadena had as their guests at the Orpheum Monday night Mr. and Mrs. Ned Caldwell, Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Thorpe, Miss Leilia Simonds, Miss Dimple Dyas, Miss Maybelle Rendall, Miss Daisy Rendall, Miss Margaret Otis, Count Holnstein, Dr. Coughlan, Charles Hastings, W. Willard Thayer and Nat Wilshire.

Club Party Postponed.

The dance at the Los Angeles Country Club, which was to have taken place this evening, has been postponed until the evening of February 24.

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Children's Affair.

Saturday afternoon Miss Ida B. Lindley of West Adams street, was the hostess at a children's party which delighted the hearts of the little guests present. Being in the nature of a Valentine party, Cupids and hearts were everywhere. About the windows, over the doors, from the chandeliers, among masses of smilax and other greenery, swung saucy Cupids and scarlet hearts.

The dining-room proved especially attractive to the small guests. A canopy of red satin ribbon rose over a table spread with candies, sweetmeats and other dainties, all in the shape of hearts and cunning little Cupids. How the children's eyes grew big when they gazed upon all this splendor, and contentedly munched the Cupids and hearts between their pearly teeth.

During the afternoon they were amused by the hunting of red hearts, and pretty prizes were awarded, the first was a silver heart clasp pin, and the second was a stickpin in the same shape. The consolation was the cause of much mirth, being an orange dressed in the likeness of a fat man. Piercing hearts was another form of amusement indulged in, and most inspiring music was given during the afternoon by the Misses Corela and Luisa Phipps of Sonora, Mex. The music was sweet old Spanish songs, given with the rhythmic accompaniment of the guitar. Piano solos were also rendered, and in the course of the afternoon more than fifty little girls were entertained, all members of the Marlborough Preparatory School for little girls, of which Miss Lindley is the principal.

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Boyle Heights Party.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Stearns entertained last evening in honor of their daughter, Miss Helen Neale, whose sixteenth birthday was celebrated. Music, dancing and games were indulged in until a late hour, when a banquet was served in the dining-room. The table shone brightly with a lovely birthday cake adorned with sixteen fairylike tapers, and white carnations with violets formed an attractive centerpiece. Places were marked by tiny bonbon boxes in the shape of red hearts, and all about the room clusters of wide-eyed violets cast their fragrance over the party.

Those present on this merry occasion were Misses Nannie Whittlesy, Lyla Campbell, Nettie Campbell, Mabel Stearns, Helen Ginther, Irene Smith, Rhoda Smith, Jennie Huston, and Messrs. Ginther, Charlton, Powers, Cleveland, Stearns, Frantz, Cleland, Swanfeldt and Stumm.

Miss Neale was assisted in receiving by her friend, Miss Helen Ginther.

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Garfield Whist Club.

On last Friday evening at Christopher's Broadway banquet parlors the members of the Garfield Whist Club met. During the evening a banquet was served, and the table was made attractive with scarlet carnations arranged in a high vase and bows of satin ribbon gave to the whole a touch of grace. Those who enjoyed the evening of gayety were Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Robertson, W. H. Smith, Mrs. C. H. Wood, Miss Marie Hauk, F. C. Herron, H. B. Alexander, Mrs. C. W. Campbell, Miss Laura Campbell, J. Frank Ballard, Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Lynn, Mrs. W. M. Kling, G. O. Kyte, Mrs. L. G. Howe, Mrs. W. H. Smith, Miss Josephine Smith, Dr. Beebe, Mrs. William D. McConnell, Miss Flora Moore, W. S. Frye, Miss May E. Kelly, Dr. C. H. Erwin and Mrs. Ella H. Garfield.

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Quiet Wedding.

A quiet wedding took place Saturday morning at the First Christian Church of Los Angeles, Rev. Smithers performing the ceremony, the contracting parties being C. A. Woods of Pasadena and Miss R. Ida Murdock, eldest daughter of the late Judge Murdock of San Diego. The bride is well known both in Los Angeles and San Diego, and the groom is a rising young business man of Pasadena.

After a short honeymoon the young couple will be at home at No. 110 Waverly Drive, Pasadena.

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Afternoon Tea.

Yesterday afternoon at the Friday Morning Club rooms afternoon tea was served from 2 until 5. Mrs. Ira W. Phelps presided at the tea urn, and the guests were entertained in the interim by being allowed to see the beautiful collection of paintings, the work of Miss Fannie E. Duvall.

Miss Duvall, who now resides in California, in fact, has a dear little home, with a studio in connection, out in the Arroyo Seco, where so many of our talented Angeleños have chosen to abide. She has exhibited pictures at the Salon, Paris, France, and in the Fine Arts Building, World's Fair, Chicago; is a pupil of William Sartain, New York, and was a student in the Academie Carmen (Whistler school,) Paris, France.

Miss Duvall excels in her "still life" work, her picture of the "Live Oak Tree" painted in Pasadena in breadth and coloring is an exquisite thing and the "Chrysanthemum Garden, South Pasadena," which was exhibited in the Fine Arts Building, World's Fair, Chicago, is a thing which the Californian can appreciate and enjoy. Miss Duvall's miniatures are fine as to detail and coloring, and too much cannot be said in praise of this modest little woman who has devoted her life to this work, and in whose deep, purposeful eyes shines the light that has made her succeed.

Yesterday Mrs. Neally Stevens entertained Miss Duvall at luncheon in her delightful studio, hung with fine net and pictures of the real California as she sees it.

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Young Violinist.

In quiet seclusion with her mother, Mrs. Theodore Nelson, and aunt, Mrs. E. Yoku, a slender, graceful girl is registered at the Fremont Hotel. This young girl, Miss Mary Leno Nelson, can with her dainty, taper fingers, wring from her violin the most dulcet and heart-reaching tones. She was a student at the Chicago Musical College, where she won great applause and praise from her teachers, and also from all who heard her in her concert performances in that city, where she has been a star attraction.

Miss Nelson is a daughter of Theodore Nelson, who is a well-known politician of Chicago, and a granddaughter of Judge William E. Nelson, of Decatur, Ill. He is an ex-judge of the supreme bench.

Miss Nelson is a beautiful girl, with a rare talent, and winning manner which endears her to all who come in contact with her. She is not more than 19 years old, and for one so young she possesses a most wonderful mastery of her violin, which is an extremely old one and very valuable. Miss Nelson will leave for San Diego within the next week or so, and many will be none the wiser for this quiet, modest little maiden's visit here.

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Mrs. Banning's Luncheon.

A number of ladies were entertained by Mrs. Hancock Banning yesterday at her home, No. 416 North Broadway. The table was decorated with cut flowers, and covers were laid for the following guests: Mmes. Walter Jarvis Barlow, Mary A. Banning, Elizabeth A. Prewitt, J. J. Meyler, J. A. Murietta, McKinstrey, Randolph Miner, M. A. Wilcox, J. C. Drake, Mary Longstreet, Edwin T. Earl, Dwight Whiting, Joseph H. Johnston and E. T. Brown.

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Laughlin Musicale.

Under the direction of Miss Forman, yesterday, flowers and greenery transformed Mrs. Homer Laughlin's home, at No. 666 West Adams street, into a fairyland of tropical splendor. The reception hall was a bower of asparagus plumosus, a canopy being formed of the feathery fern, which also fell down over the side walls, against which hung wall baskets containing pink carnations. As the occasion was a musicale, particularly appropriate was the lyre formed of delicate maidenhair ferns, and strung with golden strings. Above the alcove, in which the musicians stood, was a scroll of music, bearing the inscription of "The Sweetest Story Ever Told," held in place by two Cupids. In the drawing room the yellow daffodils were arranged in clusters, and yellow shaded lights cast a cheery light over all. Scarlet carnations were banked on the mantel and book cases about the library, and in the dining-room American Beauty roses in high, cut-glass vases were utilized effectively.

Mrs. Laughlin wore a very beautiful imported creation, of cream spangled lace. Miss Gwendolen Laughlin assisted her mother, and her young beauty was enhanced by a girlish gown of white chiffon. The ladies assisting were Mmes. J. Ross Clark, E. P. Clark, Stephen C. Hubbell, William Graves, W. L. Blinn, Ira O. Smith, Herbert M. Bishop, S. S. Salisbury, Edwin S. Rowley, Oliver P. Posey, John Sterns, Frank Walker, Edwin T. Earl and James Gray; Misses Annis Van Nuys, Ella Clark, Lora Hubbell, Alma Mitchell of San Francisco, Laura Solano, Alice Gwynne, Katherine Clark, Irene Kelley, Grace Rowley, Kittie Walbridge.

The following programme was rendered: Baritone solo (a) "Mirage" (Liza Lehman;) (b) "King Duncan's Daughters" (Allitson.) Harry Clifford Lott; piano solo, "La Fontain" (Charles C. Lysberg,) Miss Gwendolen Laughlin; piano solo (a) "Waiting for Thee" (Chaminade;) (b) "His Buttons are Not U. S." (Carrie Jacobs Bond,) Mme. Genevra Johnstone-Bishop; trio, "Serenade" (Schubert;) violin, Mrs. Laughlin; harp, Mrs. Haskins; piano, Miss Laughlin; soprano solo (a) "Waltz Song;" (b) "Obsternatim" (Gounod;) 'cello obligato, Ludwik Opid, Mrs. Charles Modini-Wood; 'cello solo, "Lue De Lac" (Goddard,) Mr. Opid; piano solo (a) "Liebstraume" (Liszt;) (b) etude, 'Harmonie De Soir' (Liszt.) Mrs. William F. Botsford; soprano solo; "Evening-Night" (Ronald;) 'cello obligato, Mr Opid and Mme. Genevra Johnstone-Bishop.

During the receiving hours, the Ladies' Venetian Orchestra rendered music and later Reynolds catered.

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Large Card Party.

In the ballroom of the Hinman yesterday afternoon, Mrs. F. B. Silverwood was hostess. Young girls assisting were Miss Pearl Volmer, Williams, Wray Lindley, Clara Funk, Eleanor Funk, Edele Grey and Willye Anderson.

Mrs. Silverwood wore a handsome gray gown and the young ladies were attired in dainty light frocks.

Pink carnations and ferns formed pleasing decorations and later refreshments were served at the tables.

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Afternoon Reception.

Mrs. John V. Littig received yesterday afternoon at her home, No. 2739 Budlong ave., assisted by her mother, Mrs. M. H. Cassell. Others receiving with them were Mmes. Wadsworth, Scott Helm, Lynn Helm, W. A. Barker, A. T. Thorpe, George Baldwin and E. R. Prewitt and the Misses Mary Wadsworth and Evelyn Prewitt.

The hostess wore a most beautiful gown of white silk and Mrs. Cassell's dress was a silvery crepe de chine. In the reception hall, wall baskets of yellow roses and asparagus plumosus made an attractive setting for the elegantly gowned women passing to and fro. The dining-room was particularly beautiful with pink roses and violets. The centerpiece on the table was a basket filled with dainty blush roses and modest violets, and tied with great French bows of airy pink tulle. Tiny French baskets of violets at the edges of the table set on lace doilies, and elsewhere in the room appeared clusters of pink roses.

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Entertained Monday.

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Voss of Boyle Heights, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Restor of No. 408 North Figueroa street entertained a number of friends Monday evening. Music was furnished and refreshments were served. Games and dancing followed until midnight. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Voss, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Niemeyer, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Connor, Mrs. Frank Lubrick, Miss Edith Bell and Mrs. Bell, Misses Bennett, Roy D. Smith, Herman Phillips, E. R. Brooks, Miss May Love, Charles A. Pestor.

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Westlake Hotel.

The ladies of the Westlake Hotel entertained with a progressive euchre party on Saturday evening. The hotel parlors were beautifully decorated for the occasion. There were about fifty present and souvenirs were in the form of Valentines.

Later refreshments were served in the dining-room.

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Notes and Personals.

The Engarita Club announces a dance to be given at Kramer's Hall on Friday evening, February 19, 1904, with J. G. Stamm and his orchestra to furnish music.

Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Pritchard have taken apartments at the Touraine, No. 447 South Hope street, where Mrs. Pritchard will be at home to her friends on the second and fourth Wednesdays.

Mrs. Charles Perrine of the Minnewaska Hotel has returned from a ten days' trip to Riverside.

The members of the Westlake Tennis Club gave an enjoyable dance to their friends at Kramer's Hall last evening.

The "We Boys" Society of the First Methodist Church gave a Valentine party last evening in the social hall of the church to lady friends of members of the society. The programme included numerous entertaining features.

Mrs. James H. Dunn of Minneapolis is the guest of Mrs. John S. Giles, of No. 1627 Orange street.

Mrs. Francis Murphy, who has been spending several weeks at Fair Oaks, in the northern part of the State, returned to the city yesterday and is at her home, No. 521 South Figueroa street.

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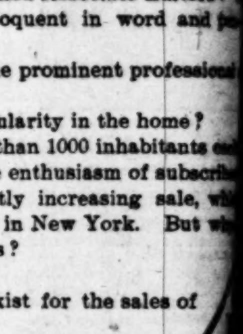

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... take up the general proposi-... us, and treat it in a broader ... instead of the 1884 crop of ... the average of five years, ... inclusive—the result is ... bushels. The population ... officially estimated was 54,-... This applied to the indicated ... yearly production for the pe-... shows 7.92 bushels as the ... per capita. Instead of the ... in 1903 take the average for ... years ending with 1903, indicat-... bushels. With popula-... at 80,000,000 for 1903 applied to ... average the result is 8.51 bushels ... capita for production.

... find, on this more consistent ... of studying the comparative ... that instead of illustrating ... important decline in the per cap-... of wheat production at the ... the period of nineteen years as ... with the beginning, there is ... fairly larger rate of production ... In other words, to be precise, ... an increase of 46.6 per cent. in ... there is shown an increase ... per cent. in wheat production—... showing a gain about 7½ per ... greater than that of population. ... comparison of prices of wheat ... nineteen years ago, taking ... as the basis, shows the posi-... to be considerably the higher ... in other words, wheat at Chi-... selling for 25 per cent. more ... than nineteen years ago.

...S AND BONDS. The Los An-... Stock Exchange issues the fol-... daily bulletin:

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible]	$ .00½	....
[illegible]	.15	.20
[illegible] and Asphalt	....	.23
[illegible]	....	6.00
[illegible]	.90	.95
[illegible]	.23	.30
[illegible]	.12	.40
[illegible] Consolidated	.35	.40
[illegible]	.18	.25
[illegible]	.06	....
[illegible]	1.10	1.75
[illegible]	.15	.25
[illegible]	.10	....
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[illegible]	....	.11
[illegible]	4.63½	4.75
[illegible]	.65	.72½
[illegible]	....	.04
[illegible]	1.15	....
[illegible]	58.00	60.50
[illegible]	95.00	100.00
[illegible]	....	.12
[illegible] Co.	....	.15
[illegible]	.02	....
[illegible]	.01¼	.02½
[illegible]	....	100.00
[illegible]	.06	.25

MINING.

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible] & C.	....	$ .13
[illegible] Copper	.01	.04
[illegible] Copper	.10	.12
[illegible]	....	.24
[illegible]	20.00	29.00
[illegible] M. & M. Co.	.13	....
[illegible] Co.	....	.40
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LOS ANGELES BANKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible]	$107	$112
[illegible]	145	152
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[illegible]	135	....
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[illegible] National	100	104
[illegible] Bank	302	....
[illegible] Bank	120	....
[illegible] Nat'l	210	215
[illegible]	235	....
[illegible] Savings	230	....
[illegible] National	193	197
[illegible] Co.	100	102½
[illegible] National	243	250
[illegible] California	130	....
[illegible] Trust Co.	100	103
[illegible] Bank	295	....
[illegible] Savings	225	....
[illegible] National	109	112
[illegible] Savings	315	....
[illegible] Pasadena	210	....
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... paid up, $50.

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible] Cement Co.	....	$ 70.00
[illegible] Co. pfd	70.00	71.00
[illegible] Co. com	24.00	29.00
[illegible]	40.75	41.50
[illegible]	40.50	41.50
[illegible] Co.	50.00	80.00
[illegible] Co.	105.00	....
[illegible] Co. pfd	100.00	103.00
[illegible] Co. com	96.00	....

BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
[illegible]	$97.00	$100.00
[illegible]	79.50	81.00

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[illegible] In 1899	......	$140,000,000
[illegible] In 1898	......	90,000,000
[illegible] In 1897	......	75,000,000
[illegible] Since 1896	......	385,000,000

... The fire loss of the ... and Canada in January ... by the New York Journal ... was $21,490,000, com-... $...,000 for corresponding ... and $15,033,000 for 1902. ... record to come, in-... Baltimore fire, 1904 will ... eminence."

...STER SHIP CANAL. ... returns of the Manchester ... indicate £392,610 for 1903, ... £364,222 for 1902. In 1894 ... £97,901, and each year ... shown an increase. This waterway was opened for traffic on January 1, 1894. The London Daily Financial Times refers to the failure to realize the hopes existing at the outset as to the results of this enterprise, but finds occasion to say: "The first few years were destined to witness many discouragements and the brighter days seemed likely never to dawn. In looking back it is now readily seen that the progress was bound to be slow. Prejudice is hard to kill and the bands of tradition are not easily unloosed. Rome was not built in a day, and a new port, and that an inland one, could scarcely be expected at once to attract ships to its docks. What a change, however, the ten years have wrought can only be realized by those who have closely watched the growth of the enterprise. A comparison of the docks now at Manchester with the appearance of the waterway and its surroundings as they were on the opening day, affords a striking contrast. The busy life, the network of railway sidings, the modern warehouses and the grain elevator are, indeed, very different from the lifeless appearance of the docks in the early days, with the few shelters which sufficed for the housing of goods brought from overseas. If the first few years brought little encouragement, the recent progress has more than revived early anticipations, and tends to prove the truth that 'hope is brightest when it dawns from fears.'"

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

ORANGE SHIPMENTS. Shipments of oranges on Monday amounted to 23 carloads. Two carloads of lemons went forward, making the total for the season 7140 carloads.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

The rain is the predominating influence in the produce market. Eggs are particularly affected, as the storm and bad roads are checking receipts for a few days. Early arrivals were bought as low as 24 cents, but late in the afternoon wholesale houses in some cases expressed a willingness to pay as high as 25 cents. Jobbing prices for candled stocks were 26 to 27 cents, with a firm feeling for the time being. Of course, after the storm passes and the sun comes out wtih green feed in plenty, hens will lay freely and there will be a marked change. Butter will be affected, but that will be later, as it will take some weeks to give substance to fresh grass. The first of March is not an unusual time for butter to weaken materially. Cheese is steady for the time being, but with prospect of good feed and with the presence here of a good deal of eastern cheese, offered below the price of local, the undertone is not so strong. Beans will also feel the effect of the abuse done by rain, as the carry-over stocks are liberal, and there is now a good prospect for a new crop. Another product to feel the softening effect of the rain is honey. Comb honey has been dull this year, and for all honey the tone is weaker than last fall. The rain means flowers and flowers mean honey. All other products are steady.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, per 2-lb. square, 70; valley creamery, 67½@70; Coast creamery, 55@60; dairy, 24@26 lb.; cooking, 42½.

EGGS—Per doz., fancy fresh ranch, candled, 26@27; case count, 25@26.

CHEESE—California, Anchor, per lb., 16; California, Young America, per lb., 17; California, 3-lb. hand, per lb., 18; northern, 13½; cheddars, eastern, 15@15½; twins, 15½@16; singles, 16; Longhorn, 16½; domestic Swiss, per lb., 19; imported Swiss, per lb., 28; Edam, fancy, per doz., 9.50; Martin's New York cream, per lb., 16@16½; Wisconsin, full cream, per lb., Magaw, 16@16½; MacLaren's Red Rose, choice, 15½@16.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Highland Burbanks, 1.50@1.60; Wood Island, 1.50; Salinas Burbanks, 1.65@2.00; Oregon, 1.60@1.75; Nevada Pearls, 1.75@1.85; sweet potatoes, 1.50@2.00.

ONIONS—Oregon, 2.50@2.75; Nevada, 2.25@2.50.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per cwt., 1.50; cabbage, 1.50@2.00; carrots, 1.00 per cwt.; green chiles, 10 per lb.; dry chiles, per string, 40@50; lettuce, per sack, 50; parsnips, 80@1.00 per cwt.; peas, 6; radishes, per dozen bunches, 20; garlic, 6; watercress, 60 per dozen; spinach, 40 per dozen; tomatoes, 1.25 per box; string beans, 18 per lb.; turnips, 1.50.

Beans and Lentils.

BEANS — Pink, per cwt., 3.37½@3.40; Lady Washington, 3.25@3.50; small white, 3.50@3.75; blackeye, 2.25@2.50; Limas, 3.60@3.75; Garbanzos, 3.75; field peas, 2.60; lentils, 6.00@7.00; horse beans, 3.50.

Honey and Beeswax.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 25@30.

HONEY—Per lb., in comb, frames, 12@14; extracted, 5@7.

Dried Fruits, Nuts, Raisins.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 5½@6; apricots, 8@9; peaches, fancy, 7½@8; choice 6½@7; pears, fancy evaporated, 12; plums, pitted, 7@8; prunes, choice, 3@5; fancy, 6@7; dates, 5@9; new crop, 7@10; figs, sacks, California, white, per lb., 6@7; California, black, per lb., 5@6; California, fancy layers, per lb., 6@7½; imported Smyrna, 8@9.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 3.00; London Layers, per box, 1.50@2.25; loose, 7@8½ per lb.; Seedless Sultanas, 6@8½.

NUTS — Almonds, paper-shell, 14; softshell, 13@13½; hardshell, 10@12; Brazils, 12; filberts, 13@14; peanuts, raw, eastern, 7; roasted, 9; California, choice raw, 5@5½; California, fancy raw, 5¼; California, roasted, 7@7½; walnuts, softshell, first grade, 14@14½; hardshell, first grade, 13½@14; pinones, New Mexico, 7.

Flour and Feedstuffs.

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 3.90@4.60; northern, 4.60; eastern, Pillsbury's Best, 6.25; lower grades, 4.50@5.00; graham flour, 2.30@2.40 per cwt.

CORNMEAL—2.10@2.20.
ROLLED BARLEY—1.20.
CRACKED CORN—1.45.
BRAN—1.30.
FEED MEAL—1.50.

Live Stock.

HOGS—Per cwt., 5.25@5.37½.

CATTLE—Per cwt., 4.00@4.50 for prime steers; 3.25@4.25 for cows and heifers; calves, 4.00@5.00.

SHEEP—Per head, wethers, 4.25@4.50; ewes, 3.00@4.00; lambs, 3.00@3.50.

Sugar.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks of 100 lbs. Bbls. cost 10c, ½ bbls. 25c, boxes 50c and 50-lb. bags 10c per 100 lbs. more. Beet sugar, 5.35; cane sugar, 5.55; cube, 5.80; powdered, 5.65; confectioners' A, 5.55; extra C, 5.05; Golden C, 4.95; D, 4.85; Magnolia A, 5.15; tablets, ½ bbls., 6.05; boxes, 6.30.

Fresh Fruits and Berries.

LEMONS—Per box, choice to fancy, 1.00@2.00; green, 5@60.

ORANGES—Navels, 50@1.75; seedlings, 25@1.00.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 1.60@1.75.
CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., 10.50@11.00.
LIMES—Per 100, 90@1.25.
COCOANUTS—Per doz., 75@1.00.
BANANAS—Per lb., 4½@4¾.
QUINCES—Per box, 1.00@1.50.
PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 2.50@4.00.
GUAVAS—Per box, 4@5.
STRAWBERRIES — Per box, fancy, 18@20; common, 12@15.
GRAPES—Per crate, 2.00@3.00.
APPLES—Per box, 1.25@1.85.
PEARS—Per box, 1.20@1.50.

Fresh Meats.

BEEF—Per lb., 7¼@7¾.
VEAL—Per lb., 10@10½.
MUTTON—Per lb., 9@9½; lamb, 10.
PORK—Per lb., 8½@9.

Provisions.

LARD — Pure, per lb., Silver Leaf, tierces, 10; Comp. lard, tcs. bas., 8@8½; suetene, 8½; Rex, tierces, 9¾; White Label, tierces, 10.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 14½; California, 9¾@10¼; Winchester, medium, 14½; do., small, 15; Premium, 15½; skinned, 14½@15; Gold Band, 15¼; mild cured, 13½.

DRY SALT PORK — Per lb., clear bellies, 12@12½; short clears, 11¾@12¼; clear backs, 11¾@12.

DRIED BEEF—Insides, 15½@16¾.

PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 27.00.

BACON—Per lb., Rex breakfast, 16½; Winchester, medium, 16½; light, 17; Empire, 17½; Premium, 20½; Diamond C, 18¾; 49'er, 17½; Gold Band, 20½.

Game.

RABBITS — Per doz., cottontails, 1.50@2.00; hares, 1.50@1.75; brush rabbits, 1.00@1.25.

WILD GEESE — Per doz., gray, 4.50@5.00; white, 3.25@3.00.

Hay and Grain.

BARLEY—1.25.
OATS—1.35@1.40.
CORN—1.40.
WHEAT—1.65.
HAY—Barley, 14.00@17.00; alfalfa, 14.00@18.00; tame oat, 11.00@17.00; wheat, 13.00@16.00.

Poultry.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition: 14@17 per lb. for poultry; ducks, 12@15; for turkeys, 16@18; geese, 11@13. Selling prices are, per lb.: Old roosters, 12c; old hens, 15@16; young roosters, 18@20; broilers, 4.00@5.00 dozen; fryers, 5.00@6.00; turkeys, alive, per lb., 20@22; ducks, alive, 5.00@6.00; geese, 11@12.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The amount of business done in stocks today was slightly larger than yesterday, but the market was unchanged. All business was done in the first hour of the market, the sales in that time reaching almost as many shares as for the whole day. This business was a buying movement largely confined to the New York public utilities, and was without explanation in any new development. It was regarded as an effort of the party leaders to awaken the market into some animation and to start prices moving. One or two railroad stocks were included in the movement. It failed entirely to attract any following, and was abandoned, prices being allowed to drift slowly back to last night's level, or below it when the traders took their profits. United States Steel preferred was heavy at all times, and this helped to discourage the attempts to lift prices. The selling of that stock had no other explanation than the supposition that a speculative line was being disposed of. Amalgamated Copper seemed also to suffer from some speculative profit-taking, but hardened after the announcement of the declaration of a dividend of $10 a share in Calumet and Hecla, which is double the rate declared in the corresponding period of last year. Wall street has an abundance of war news, but the extraordinary military and naval activity indicated seem to have little effect on prices. The declining tendency of railroad earnings is a subject of much discussion. Gross earnings for the first week in February show declines on the average, and complaints by railroad officials of a continued storm blockade point to the continuance of this tendency. The fact that the decrease from last year's level is more than accounted for by the decline in earnings of the trunk lines and eastern railroads is a point in corroboration of the contention that storm blockades are the explanation rather than a falling-off in available traffic. But the fact that the ratio of declines in earnings has shown steady progress since it began last summer, makes the subject one for misgiving. The bond market was dull but steady. Total sales (par value) $1,295,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing bid.
Atchison	14,200	68	67½	67⅞
Atchison pfd	1,100	89⅝	89⅜	89⅜
Baltimore & Ohio	6,500	78	77⅝	77⅝
B. & O. pfd	....	....	....	87½
Canadian Pacific	1,500	117⅝	117	117
Central of New Jersey	....	....	....	155
Chesapeake & Ohio	....	....	....	32½
Chicago & Alton	400	37½	37⅛	37⅛
Chicago & Alton pfd	600	82½	81⅝	82⅛
Chicago & G. W.	700	15⅜	15⅛	15⅛
Chicago & N. W.	....	....	....	163½
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	9,800	141⅛	140⅝	140⅝
C., M. & St. P. pfd	....	....	....	170
Chicago Ter. & Tran.	....	....	....	[illegible]
Chicago T. & T. pfd	200	20	20	19⅝
C., C. C. & St. Louis	....	....	....	70⅝
Colorado Southern	100	16⅛	16⅛	15⅞
Colo. So. 1st pfd	100	53⅛	53⅛	53
Colo. So. 2nd pfd	100	23⅝	23⅝	23⅛
Delaware & Hudson	700	160⅛	160⅛	160
Del., Lack. & Western	....	....	....	265
Denver & Rio Grande	....	....	....	20
D. & R. G. pfd	....	....	....	68
Erie	4,000	25⅝	25½	25⅛
Erie 1st pfd	1,400	64⅛	63⅝	63⅝
Erie 2nd pfd	500	42⅝	42⅛	42⅛
Hocking Valley	100	73	73⅛	73
Hocking Valley pfd	200	82⅛	82	82
Illinois Central	500	128¼	128	127⅝
Iowa Central	....	....	....	18
Iowa Central pfd	....	....	....	36
Kansas City Soutrern	....	....	....	18⅛
K. C. Southern pfd	400	35	34⅝	34⅝
Louisville & Nashville	3,200	105¼	104	104⅛
Manhattan L.	800	143⅝	142½	142⅞
Metropolitan Securities	1,500	85⅜	88½	88⅛
Metropolitan St. Ry.	2,800	119⅛	118	118
Minn. & St. Louis	....	....	....	60
M., St. P. & S. Ste. M.	1,300	63⅝	62¼	62¼
Minn., St. P. pfd	....	....	....	120
Missouri Pacific	3,000	90⅝	89⅝	89⅞
Missouri, Kan. & Texas	100	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛
M., K. & T. pfd	....	....	....	36½
Nat'l Ry. of Mex. pfd	200	38	37½	37⅝
New York Central	2,100	115⅜	114⅝	114⅝
Norfolk & Western	300	58⅛	58	55
N. & W. pfd	....	....	....	88
Ontario & Western	900	21⅝	21	20⅞
Pennsylvania	2,900	115⅞	114⅛	114⅜
P., C. C. & St. Louis	....	....	....	60
Reading	700	42⅜	42⅜	42⅜
Reading 1st pfd	100	79½	79½	79½
Reading 2nd pfd	....	....	....	56⅜
Rock Island Co.	2,700	23⅞	22⅝	22⅝
Rock Island Co. pfd	200	62	62	61
St. L. & S. F. 2nd pfd	100	44	44	43⅛
St. Louis, S. W.	100	14⅛	14½	14⅛
St. Louis, S. W. pfd	100	33½	33⅛	32½
Southern Pacific	11,300	47⅝	46⅝	47⅛
Southern Railway	100	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜
Southern Ry. pfd	300	82	81½	81½
Texas & Pacific	100	23	23	23
Toledo, St. Louis & W.	100	24⅛	24	24
T., St. L. & W. pfd	....	....	....	34
Union Pacific	7,800	78⅛	77⅛	77⅛
Union Pacific pfd	....	....	....	89⅛
Wabash	300	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛
Wabash pfd	1,100	36⅛	35⅞	35⅞
Wheeling & Lake Erie	....	....	....	17
Wisconsin Central	100	18⅛	18⅛	16⅛
Wisconsin Central pfd	....	....	....	42
Express Companies—				
Adams	....	....	....	220
American	....	....	....	190
United States	....	....	....	101
Wells-Fargo	....	....	....	210
Miscellaneous—				
Amalgamated Copper	30,900	49⅜	48⅛	48⅛
Am. Car & Foundry	400	17⅛	19⅛	18⅛
Am. Car & F. pfd	100	68⅛	68⅛	66
Am. Cotton Oil	....	....	....	29⅛
Am. Cotton Oil pfd	....	....	....	88
American Ice	700	5⅜	5	5
American Ice pfd	2,000	32	30⅝	31⅛
American Linseed Oil	....	....	....	9½
American Linseed Oil pfd	....	....	....	27
American Locomotive	15,500	23⅝	22⅛	22⅛
Am. Locomotive pfd	500	80	79	79
Am. Smelting & Ref.	200	49	48⅛	47⅛
Am. S. & R. pfd	....	....	....	90⅛
Am. Sugar Refining	6,300	126⅛	125	125⅛
Anaconda Mining Co.	....	....	....	60⅛
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	21,900	44⅝	43⅝	43⅝
Colorado Fuel & Iron	100	32⅛	32⅛	31
Consolidated Gas	9,700	194⅝	194	194⅛
Corn Products	100	16½	16½	14
Corn Products pfd	....	....	....	70
Distillers' Securities	200	24	24	24
General Electric	300	167	167	166
International Paper	....	....	....	11⅛
Int'l Paper pfd	100	65	65	65
International Pump	....	....	....	33
Int'l Pump pfd	....	....	....	71
National Lead	....	....	....	15
North American	100	84	84	83⅛
Pacific Mail	200	28	28	28
*People's Gas	1,000	100⅛	99⅛	99⅛
Pressed Steel Car	....	....	....	29⅛
P. Steel Car pfd	....	....	....	66⅛
Pullman Palace Car	....	....	....	[illegible]
Republic Steel	....	....	....	7⅛
Republic Steel pfd	200	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛
Rubber Goods	300	20⅛	19⅛	19⅛
Rubber Goods pfd	....	....	....	76
Tenn. Coal & Iron	400	37½	37	36⅛
United States Leather	1,100	7⅛	7⅛	7
U. S. Leather pfd	500	77⅛	77	76⅞
United States Realty	....	....	....	7⅛
U. S. Realty pfd	200	54⅛	54⅛	54⅛
United States Rubber	100	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
U. S. Rubber pfd	....	....	....	48
United States Steel	3,500	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
U. S. Steel pfd	25,500	57⅛	57⅛	57⅛
Westinghouse Electric	....	....	....	160
Western Union	....	....	....	87⅛
Northern Securities	....	....	....	88⅛

Total sales for day....235,700

*Ex-dividend.

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg	104⅝	Man. Con. G. 4s	103⅝
U. S. R. 2s coup	104⅝	Mex. Cen. 4s	65½
U. S. 3s reg	106	Mex. C. 1st Inc	13¼
U. S. 3s coup	106	M. & St. L. 4s	97¼
U. S. n. 4s reg	132¼	M., K. & T. 4s	97⅛
U. S. n. 4s coup	132¼	M., K. & T. 2ds	78
U. S. old 4s reg	107	Mex. Nat'l Con. 4s	74
U. S. old 4s coup	107	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	97¼
Atchison, Gen. 4s	99⅝	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	129
Atchison, Adj. 4s	87	N. P. 4s	103
Atlantic C. L. 4s	92⅝	N. P. 3s	70⅝
B. & O. 4s	101¼	N. & W. Con. 4s	97⅛
B. & O. 3½s	93⅝	Oregon S. L. 4s	91⅝
Cen. of Ga. 5s	105½	Pa. Conv. 3½s	95⅝
C. of Ga. 1st Inc	70	Reading Gen. 4s	96⅛
C. & O. 4½s	103¼	St. L. & I. M. 5s	112⅞
C. & A. 3½s	75⅝	St. L. & S. F. 4s	81½
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	91⅝	St. L., S. W. 1sts	93⅛
C. M. & St. P. 4s	108⅛	Seaboard A. L. 4s	67
C. & N. W. 7s	102⅝	So. Pacific 4s	88⅝
C., R. I. & P. 4s	69	So. Railway pfd	111⅞
C., R. I. & P. 5s	81	T. & P. 1sts	116½
C., C. C. & St. L.	97¼	T., St. L. & W. 4s	70
Chicago Ter. 4s	77	Union Pacific 4s	102⅝
Con. Tob. 4s	54⅝	U. P. Conv. 4s	96½
Colo. & So. 4s	83⅝	U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	72⅝
D. & R. G. 4s	97½	Wabash 1sts	118¼
Erie prior lien 4s	97	Wabash Deb. B	62¼
Erie Gen. 4s	85½	W. & L. E. 4s	90
Fort Worth 1sts	104½	Wis. Cen. 4s	89⅛
Hock. Val. 4½s	105	C. F. & I. Con. 5s	73
L. & N. Un. 4s	98⅝		

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		U. S. Steel	11⅛
Call loans	4@4½	U. S. Steel pfd	57⅛
Time loans	4½@5½	West'house Com	79
Bonds—		Mining—	
Atchison Adj. 4s	87	Adventure	2
Atchison 4s	97⅝	Allouez	3⅝
Mex. Cen. 4s	64½	Amalgamated	48⅝
Railroads—		American Zinc	9
Atchison	67⅝	Atlantic	7⅛
Atchison pfd	89⅛	Bingham	19⅝
Boston & Albany	245	C. & Hecla	445@446
Boston & Maine	166	Centennial	17⅛
Boston Elevated	138	Copper Range	40⅛
Fitchburg pfd	135	Daly West	24⅛
Mexican Central	10	Dominion Coal	56⅛
N. Y. N. H. & H.	194	Franklin	8⅛
Pere Marquette	78⅛	Grancy	3⅛
Union Pacific	77⅛	Isle Royale	7⅛
Miscellaneous—		Mass. Mining	4
Am. Arge. Chem.	13⅛	Michigan	5
Am. A. C. pfd	74¼	Mohawk	35
Am. Pneu. Tube	3⅝	Mont. C. & C.	2⅛
Am. Sugar	125	Old Dominion	9⅛
Am. Sugar pfd	125	Osceola	57
Am. Tel. & Tel.	120⅝	Parrot	24⅛
Am. Woolen	10	Quincy	87
Am. Woolen pfd	69½	Shannon	7⅛
Dom. I. & S.	8⅛	Tamarack	100
Edison Elec. Illu.	232	Trinity	4⅛
Gen. Electric	165	U. S. Mining	20¼
Mass. Electric	20½	U. S. Oil	8⅛
Mass. Elec. pfd	77	Utah	32⅛
Mass. Gas	39⅛	Victoria	3⅛
United Fruit	96	Winona	5⅛
U. Shoe Mach.	47	Wolverine	70
U. Shoe Mach. pfd	28		

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Close: Money on call was easy at 1½@2 per cent.; closing bid, ——; offered, 1½ per cent. Time loans steady; 60 and 90 days, 4 per cent.; six months, 4¼@4½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4¾@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange was steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.85¼@4.85 11-20 for demand, and at 4.82½@4.82 3-5 for 60-day bills. Posted rates, 4.83½@4.86 and 4.86½. Commercial bills, 4.82½. Bar silver, 59½. Mexican dollars, 46. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds steady.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Today's treasury statement: Available cash balances, $223,888,-188; gold, $99,832,890.

London Silver.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Consols, 87 1-16; silver, 27⅛d.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKET.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—A change in rules governing deliveries was largely responsible for heavy liquidation in wheat today, resulting in July closing 2 to 2⅛ below the final figures of yesterday. May wheat closed 1⅛ to 1⅛ down. Demoralization was rampant in the wheat pit, starting with confusion caused by the inauguration of a new rule in reference to the delivery of No. 1 and No. 2 hard winter wheat on future contracts. Until today, No. 2 red and No. 1 and No. 2 hard winter wheat has been deliverable on contract at 5 cents discount, but the board voted to make the rate after July 1 at 2 cents discount. Announcement of this decision brought heavy realizing in July and September options. Prices declined throughout the day. The opening was comparatively steady, influenced by the early Liverpool cables, which showed a slight advance, initial quotations on May being unchanged to ⅛ higher, at 97⅛@98. July was unchanged to ⅛ lower, at 90@90⅛. Large quantities of July and September wheat came out during the first hour, on liberal selling by commission houses and local longs. There was very little support to the market, and a decidedly weak tone soon developed. There was nothing apparent in the general news to bring outside heavy selling orders. Foreign advices were still bullish on the cash situation. Moreover, the cash demand in all domestic markets was a noticeable feature. Cold weather in the Southwest was also a bull feature. In the face of these favorable circumstances, however, long wheat continued to come out in the entire day. The weakness in the outside markets and in the corn and oats pits undoubtedly had some effect. It was also claimed that a natural reaction from the bullishness accounted for a considerable part of the depression. The close was weak and near the bottom. After selling down to 96⅛, or 1⅛ below the high point, May closed at 96⅛@96⅛. July closed at 87⅛@87⅛ after touching 87⅛. Corn held a good demand at the opening from local traders. May closed ⅛ to ⅛ lower, at 56⅛@56⅛. Oats were very nervous, May closing 1⅛ lower, at 42⅛. There was early strength in provisions, with good buying of pork and ribs. The advance in prices, however, brought out heavy realizing sales, which were increased by the extreme weakness in grains. May pork closed 30 down; lard was off 12½@15, and ribs 7½@10 lower.

The leading futures closed as follows:

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady; No. 3 spring wheat, 85@95; No. 2 red, 96⅛@1.00; No. 2 corn, 51; No. 2 yellow, 51; No. 2 oats, 40⅛@40⅛; No. 3 white, 42⅛@45; No. 2 rye, 68; good feeding barley, 40@42; fair to choice malting, 48@58; No. 1 flax seed, 1.11; No. 1 northwestern, 1.17½; prime timothy seed, 3.27; mess pork, per bbl., 14.50@14.62½; short ribs, sides (loose), 6.75@7.00; short clear sides (boxed), 7.72½@7.75; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.27; clover, contract grade, 10.75.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	23,700	35,500
Wheat, bushels	33,000	54,100
Corn, "	446,500	248,400
Oats, "	375,300	138,900
Rye, "	11,500	14,200
Barley, "	132,800	15,800

Dairy Market.

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was firm; creamery, 13@25½; dairy, 13½@22; eggs, easier, 28@29; cheese, strong, 10@10¾.

Available Supplies.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Special cable and telegraphic advices received by Bradstreet's show the following changes in available supplies as compared with last account: Wheat, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decreased 583,0.0 bushels; afloat for and in Europe, increased 800,000 bushels; total supply increased, 217,000 bushels. Corn, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decreased 181,000 bushels. Oats, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decreased 383,000 bushels.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Tin broke sharply in the English market, spot closing £1 5s lower, at £128 12s 6d, and futures 17s 6d lower, at £126 12s 6d. Locally, tin was unchanged, with spot quoted at 28.50@29.00. Copper was unchanged in London, but locally was firmer, with lake quoted at 12.50@12.75; electrolytic and casting, 12.37½@12.62½. Lead was unchanged in both markets. Spelter was unchanged in London, but was firmer here, with spot closing at 5.00@5.10. Iron was nominally unchanged.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The market for evaporated apples is easy, with demand still light and rather more pressure to sell; common, 4@5; choice, 5½@6; fancy, 6¼@7. Prunes are firm, with jobbing demand and with supplies somewhat limited. Quotations range from 3½@6¼, according to grade. Apricots remain firm; choice, 9⅝@10; extra choice, 10⅛@10¾; fancy, 12@15. Peaches are in fair demand; choice, 7⅛@7¾; extra choice, 7⅝@8¼; fancy, 9@10.

New York General Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Wheat—Spot easy; options closed ⅛ to 1⅛ lower; May, 99; July, 94; September, 87⅛. Hops, hides and wool firm. Coffee—Spot Rio, irregular; No. 7, invoice, 7⅛; mild steady. Futures closed net 20 to 25 points lower. Sugar—Raw and refined steady.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 4000; market steady; good to prime steers, 4.90@5.75; poor to medium, 3.50@4.75; stockers and feeders, 2.25@4.10; cows, 1.60@4.25; heifers, 2.25@4.75; canners, 1.60@2.50; bulls, 2.00@4.00; calves, 3.50@6.00. Hogs—Receipts, 30,000; tomorrow, 40,000; strong; mixed and butchers, 5.00@5.35; good to choice heavy, 5.25@5.45; rough heavy, 4.90@5.25; light, 4.60@5.10; bulk of sales, 4.95@5.20. Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers, 4.00@4.50; fair to choice mixed, 3.50@4.00; western sheep, 3.50@5.00; native lambs, 4.00@5.95; western lambs, 4.50@6.25.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 16.—Close: Wheat, March, 6s 6⅛d; May, 6s 6¼d.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

TACOMA, Feb. 16.—Wheat unchanged; blue stem, 81; club, 78.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

GRAIN, FRUIT AND PRODUCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Routine transactions in Oregons constituted the principal movements today, and in the absence of new features, quotations throughout the list were unchanged. The large sizes of navel oranges still attracted the principal buying interests and offerings were well cared for, at or close to maximum quotations, while heavy holdings of medium and smaller fruit met with sluggish call at uneven values. There were several good-sized orders at hand for export to Honolulu on the steamer sailing Saturday, but shippers made no effort to fill them, awaiting to see what they could obtain at tomorrow's auction sale, at which six carloads of navels are to be placed under the hammer. In other citrus fruits the market clearly reflected the conditions noted the preceding day, lemons, tangerines and grape fruit being in free supply at prevailing prices, while it was difficult to fill orders for limes, even at highest quotation. A continued firmness exists in the market for potatoes, although no important business is reported, current trading being restricted almost wholly within jobbing confines. General offerings are quite liberal, but being centered in strong hands, are not regarded as excessive and with holders showing no anxiety over existing conditions, prevailing prices are well maintained. For fancy lot of Oregons, a bid of 1.27½ was rejected, the holder being firm in his demand for 1.30. Sweet potatoes were in free supply. Onions were firmly held, top-quality Oregons readily bringing 2.25. The usual light Tuesday receipt of southern vegetables came to hand, and with stock carried over from the preceding day, sold briskly at high prices. Sales of fancy green peas were still made as high as 7, but 6 was the ruling rate for the average run of offerings. String beans and peppers were closely cleaned up at the best values. Rhubarb arrived sparingly, and sold quickly at sustained rates. Asparagus brought 50 a pound. Mushrooms continued plentiful, and were cheap.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Flour—Net cash prices for family extras, 4.60@4.85; bakers' extras, 4.50@4.60; Oregon and Washington, 3.90@4.40.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.36¼@1.38¾; milling, 1.40@1.52½.

Barley—Feed, 1.10¼@1.10¾; brewing, 1.17½@1.20; Chevalier, 1.20@1.40.

Oats — Red, 1.34@1.35; white, 1.27½@1.40; black, nominal.

Middlings—26.00@28.00; mixed feed, 22.00@23.00; rolled barley, 24.00@24.00.

Hay—Wheat, 15.00@18.00; wheat and oats, 15.00@17.50; barley hay, ——; clover, 13.00@14.50; alfalfa, 13.00@14.00; straw, 60@75.

Onions—Fancy, 2.05@2.10; common, ——.

Fruit—Fancy apples, 2.00; common apples, 40; pears, common, 2.50; fancy, 3.00; pomegranates, ——; quinces, ——; grapes, ordinary, ——; persimmons, ——.

Berries—Strawberries, ——; raspberries, ——; cranberries, ——.

Citrus fruits — Navels, 50@2.25; Valencias, ——; seedlings, 50@1.00; Mexican limes, 5.50@6.00; California lemons, common, 75; fancy, 2.50; Japanese Mandarins, ——.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 1.00@2.50; pineapples, 1.50@2.50.

Butter — Fancy creamery, 27½; seconds, 24; fancy dairy, 23; seconds, 20.

Cheese—New, ——; eastern, 15@16; Young America, 11@12.

Eggs—Eastern, ——; ranch, 24@25; store, 22@24.

Beans — Pink, 3.00@3.10; Lima, 3.25@3.35; small white, 2.80@3.00; large white, 2.40@2.60.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 1.10@1.25; River Burbanks, 90@1.10; Merced sweets, 2.00@2.15; new potatoes, 2.50@3.00; Salinas Burbanks, 1.40@1.65.

Various—Green peas, 2½@6; string beans, 12@17½; egg plant, 20; green peppers, nominal; tomatoes, 75@1.25; summer squash, 1.00@1.50; asparagus, 30@75; rhubarb, 8@20; garlic, 5@6; mushrooms, 35@1.00.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 16@17; dressed turkeys, 18@21; roosters, old, 5.00@5.50; roosters, young, 6.50@7.50; broilers, small, 4.00@4.50; broilers, large, 4.50@5.00; fryers, 5.50@6.00; hens, 5.00@7.00; ducks, old, 5.50@6.50; ducks, young, 6.50@7.00; geese, 2.00@2.25; goslings, 2.00@2.25; pigeons, old, 1.25@1.50; pigeons, young, 2.25@2.50.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Receipts—Flour, quarter sacks, 6989; wheat, centals, 6880; barley, centals, 1230; oats, centals, 4800; beans, sacks, 1710; corn, centals, 1000; potatoes, sacks, 468; bran, sacks, 1070; middlings, sacks, 250; hay, tons, 180; straw, tons, 10; hides, number, 431; wine, gallons, 46,600.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Close: Wheat steadier; May, 1.40¼; December, 1.34 bid. Barley steadier; May, 1.08; December, 1.03¼. Corn, large yellow, 1.35@1.40. Bran, 20.50@21.00.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Wheat weaker; May, 1.40¼; cash, 1.38⅝. Barley weaker; May, 1.07⅝; December, 1.03⅛; cash, 1.13⅝. Corn, large yellow, firm, 1.35@1.40.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—Silver bars, 59⅛; Mexican dollars, nominal; drafts, sight, 12½; drafts, telegraph, 15.

San Francisco Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 16.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Andes	48	Justice	6
Belcher	32	Mexican	200
Best & Belcher	200	Occidental Con	90
Bullion	10	Ophir	525
Caledonia	97	Overman	28
Challenge Con	23	Potosi	16
Chollar	21	Savage	46
Confidence	105	Seg. Belcher	6
Con. Cal. & Va.	175	Sierra Nevada	60
Con. Imperial	2	Silver Hill	67
Crown Point	21	Union Con	55
Gould & Curry	43	Utah Con	22
Hale & Norcross	97	Yellow Jacket	46

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

BURNED UNDER BLAZING TENT.

SLEEPING DESERT PROSPECTOR TERRIBLY INJURED.

Another Man's Leg Roasted and Both in San Bernardino Hospital. Miller Trial Interrupted on Account of Juror's Sickness.

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 16.—William Edmonds, a desert prospector, was taken to the County Hospital this morning from near Bagdad, in a critical condition from terrible injuries on the back and shoulders, sustained yesterday by the burnnig of his tent, while he was sound asleep. Edmonds had become fatigued from a long tramp, and was not aroused until the flames burned away his blankets and clothing. He was too severely injured to walk, and after crawling from the fire sank in a faint, being found by prospectors who were attracted to the place by the blaze and smoke. Should he recover skin grafting will have to be resorted to. The hospital this morning also received Thomas Sexton, an orange picker from East Highland, who last night while in a drunken stupor rolled against a red-hot stove. His right leg was burned to a considerable depth, and a large part of it literally roasted.

JUROR VERY SICK.

The trial of the Miller murder case was postponed this morning until tomorrow at 10 o'clock, owing to the critical illness of C. M. Brown of Redlands, one of the jurors. Since the case commenced Tuesday of last week this juror has been suffering from dyspepsia, and had been subsisting on a cunp of egg custard a day. The prospects are that his illness will necessitate the dismissal of the present jury, as his physician reported to the court that he shows typhoid symptoms.

BY THE WAY.

Suit for $300 damages has been filed by J. S. Bates against H. B. Lane of Highland for injury alleged to have resulted in the plaintiff's orchard in Highland by Lane allowing irrigation water from his flume to flow on his neighbor's premises. Lane came into possession of his property through the suicide of his brother, Rufus, and was formerly an obscure clergyman residing in the backwoods of Washington State.

The suit brought against the San Bernardino Traction Company by E. J. Gilbert,. administrator of the estate of the late Judge Irvin Stratton of Wichita, Kan., who with his two horses was killed by a Traction car and a Southern Pacific train here two years ago while the two cars were racing, has been set for April 19 and 21.

Day Engineer McKenna of the Needles ice plant was seriously injured yesterday by being caught in a fly wheel.

With the city's expenses at $2000 a month, it is found that the treasury will be depleted within a short time, and unless relief comes from the levying of a merchants' tax all claims against the municipality must be held up for six months. The merchants will refuse to pay the tax, and a Supreme Court decision will be anxiously awaited.

John E. Ward has bought of W. F. Black ten acres and a fine residence between Base Line and Highland avenue, where he will reside. Consideration named, $4500.

Monday the City Trustees of Colton will call an election for three Trustees and other officials, to be held in April.

THE TIMES IN SAN BERNARDINO.—A. W. Isenour, authorized agent, headquarters near cigar and news stand, N.W. corner Third and E streets. Subscriptions and Advertisements taken. The paper is not handled in San Bernardino by W. H. Radmor in the stores of L. D. Houghton. For fear of the bogieman (the walking delegate) these persons refuse to keep the paper for sale, thus weakly yielding to the bluff of the boycotters and the threats of the local labor-unionists. Isenour, however, stands fast, the same as before, and independent citizens may always be served by him with their favorite journal.

UPLAND.

NEW BRICK BUILDING.

UPLAND, Feb. 16.—P. E. Walline and J. M. Hurt have bought five lots on First avenue and A street, on which they will erect a brick building to be used for a seed store.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne and Mr. and Mrs. Grainger of Twenty-fourth street have started on a camping trip to the desert. They intend going as far as Imperial.

ONTARIO.

STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

ONTARIO, Feb. 16.—The grader has been at work on Depot street, bringing it to a level in the Euclid avenue. Lime avenue has also been repaired for a couple of blocks, and work is being done on Vine avenue.

The crossing of the street railway and Espee tracks has been under repairs. The bolts had become so loose that the crossing was dangerous.

The local Chamber of Commerce has just issued many thousand circulars of Ontario and vicinity.

ANAHEIM.

PACIFIC ELECTRIC SPREAD.

ANAHEIM, Feb. 16.—The Pacific Electric railway has many workmen at New River, north of Anaheim Landing, extending its line from Long Beach. The road has been completed to New River, and an extensive bridge is in course of construction across the river. Work to Pacific City and old Anaheim Landing, it is said, will be rushed to completion, after which the road will be continued along the beach to Newport. This will give the company a surf line nearly the entire distance between Newport and Long Beach. It is announced that the road will be extended from Newport to Santa Ana.

Mrs. E. H. Adams gave a pleasant surprise party at her home last night in honor of her husband's birthday.

Don Marco Foster of Capistrano has been in town the past two days on business.

SANTA ANA.

NEW CITY TRUSTEE.

SANTA ANA, Feb. 16.—D. L. Anderson has been appointed Trustee from the First Ward, vice Frank Ey, whose resignation takes effect March 1. Mr. Anderson is manager of the J. E. Bunker & Co.'s grocery business, and has been prominently identified with the business interests of the city during a long residence.

The Santa Ana Valley Irrigation Company has been given thirty days of grace by the city to place its irrigating ditches on Seventeenth and West streets underground, and in event of failure to comply legal steps will be taken.

RIVERSIDE.

KIMBELL'S CASE OUT.

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 16.—Judge B. F. Bledsoe of San Bernardino this morning threw the case against Supervisor A. T. Kimbell out of court. The grand jury had brought proceedings to remove Kimbell from office and the accused entered a demurrer to the sufficiency of the accusation and Judge Bledsoe sustained it. The court held that the document was not explicit enough. This is the third case so disposed of, but in each instance the court directed that the case be referred to another grand jury. This means the accused officials are not through yet.

PICKED HERE AND THERE.

Hon. David Rankin, the millionaire Missouri farmer, has been the guest of his daughter, Mrs. J. F. Hanna. He is delighted with Riverside, but says his 23,000-acre farm will not permit his coming here to live.

Notwithstanding the rain, the new St. Thomas Catholic chapel was dedicated at Sherman Indian Institute today by Bishop Conaty.

After having been out three hours, the jury in the Ferris liquor-selling case against Mrs. M. Bernasconi this evening brought in a verdict of not guilty.

This afternoon Deputy Sheriff Brown arrested John A. Wells of Winchester for having stolen a fine rig at Santa Ana. He was arraigned before Justice Stephenson and placed under $500 bonds.

Yesterday the members of the Boys' Bicycle Outing Club took a trip. After a spin of thirty-eight miles they landed at Skyland. On the summit of the range they found snow. On the return trip they coasted within two miles of San Bernardino.

A measurement of Lake Hemet shows 97 feet 8 inches of water at the dam. Since the last rain the mountain streams which feed this lake have been much larger than for some time. It is stated that for a week the water in the dam has been gradually rising at the rate of an inch a day.

Tomorrow morning Miss Gail Laughlin of New York City will address the members of the Extemporaneous Drill Club on "The Legal Status of Women."

Miss Vivia Jeffries, matron at Perris, has been transferred to the Sherman Indian School. She comes to take charge of the exhibit in needle work for display at the St. Louis fair.

Thursday afternoon G. Harold Powell, representing the Agricultural Department of Washington, will meet the orange growers of this locality, to discuss some practical problems of soil treatment.

Mark Guy Pearse, the distinguished London divine, delivered a lecture to a large audience at the First Methodist Church last evening.

CORONA.

WATER COMPANY'S TROLLEY.

CORONA, Feb. 16.—The Temescal Water Company of this place is making extensive improvements. It is building laterals and digging wells. One of the largest improvements is an electric line in course of construction between Ethanac and Temescal, twenty miles. At Ethanac the company has a number of good wells, heretofore pumped with gasoline and steam engines, requiring large quantities of oil and distillate, which had to be hauled twenty miles from Corona at heavy expense. Now all this will be accomplished by means of electricity. The workmen building the electric line will have a comfortable house on wheels in which to live. Trolley wire poles have been ordered from Washington State, and it is expected the line will be in operation in six weeks. The improvements will cost $15,000.

NEW SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Yesterday an election was held at the schoolhouse to vote on organizing the Corona High School district. Of the twenty-two votes cast only one opposed organization. The next step will be the High School bond election.

CLUBS AND SOCIETY.

The Woman's Improvement Club will meet Thursday afternoon with the Misses Platt.

The W.C.T.U. met in the Congregational Church this afternoon. Mrs. Juliet Powell Rice gave a talk on "Boys' Clubs, and Why?"

Yesterday the Poinsettia Club met with Mrs. Marshall Clayson and elected Mrs. M. Terpening president; Mrs. George Austin, secretary; Mrs. Charles Main, treasurer.

Last evening Miss Marie Craw and Miss Alice Deidrich entertained twenty-eight young persons with whist at the home of Walter Austin.

The Eastern Star gave a Valentine social this evening in Masonic Hall.

Sixty members of the Fraternal Aid Association surprised Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cross and gave them a book case and secretary.

SANTA BARBARA.

DOWNEY CASE UNSETTLED.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 16.—After being out since 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, the jury in the Downey case was discharged this morning at 10 o'clock, having failed to agree. During the eighteen hours in which they were locked up the jurors took ten ballots, the first being 8 to 4 in favor of acquittal and the last 10 to 2 for acquittal. The trial, which has occupied the Superior Court a few days, has been intensely interesting and the testimony spicy.

On the day following Thanksgiving last year, C. A. Wilson, a local livery man, was shot in the hay loft of the Olympic stables. There were no witnesses, but Wilson declared that his assailant was Mrs. Jennie Downey, a woman with whom he had been intimate some time and who had figured prominently in the lower courts in connection with him. Mrs. Downey was arrested and charged with assault with intent to commit murder. Wilson apparently recovered entirely from his wound and was at the preliminary examination. Soon after he suffered a relapse and an operation became necessary, from the effects of which he died.

Wilson's testimony, taken at the preliminary examination, was allowed in the trial and was the principal strength of the prosecution. All the rest of the evidence was purely circumstantial, although it formed a strong chain. The defense was distinctly weak.

BUTCHER BOY DEAD.

Yesterday afternoon a valuable race horse belonging to C. T. Thayer was terribly injured by colliding with a swiftly-moving trolley car, and had to be shot. The horse was Butcher Boy, well known on Southern California tracks as the winner of good stake events. The animal was a splendid driver, and Thayer, who is the owner of the Overland Stables, had rented him for the winter to a lady in Montecito. While tied on State street the horse became frightened and, breaking away, ran the entire length of the street, finally bringing up against a car and being thrown twenty feet. The trap was smashed.

NEW CLUB HOME.

Tonight the Santa Barbara Club threw open the doors of its handsome new home at Figueroa and Chapala streets to members and invited guests for a general reception and housewarming.

VENTURA.

MAN UNDER A DISC.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

VENTURA, Feb. 16.—Will Ayers, a ranchman, had a close call for his life while plowing on his hillside farm in Ventura Cañon. Ayers was using a disc plow on very steep ground, standing on his machine and driving a two-horse team. The team became excited on one of the steepest turns and started off. Ayers, in his efforts to save himself and keep control of his horses, turned to take hold of the plow seat, lost his balance and was thrown forward under his plow. The machine passed over him, one of the discs running squarely across him. That he was not cut in two was because of the dullness of the disc. He came out of the melee without a scratch. His horses dashed down the steep side hill and one of them lost its footing and plunged forward and over, turning a complete somersault and breaking its neck.

IN BRIEF.

The body of the late Mrs. Marie Wason, who died in Los Angeles Sunday, was taken for burial to Santa Paula. Mrs. Wason was a well-known pioneer, 84 years of age, and the widow of the late Judge Wason. The funeral was conducted today at the residence of the son, Charles Wason.

Banker J. S. Collins had a severe fall by which he sustained a broken left arm and a badly-bruised face and head. Mr. Collins was on a visit to his sister, Mrs. H. P. Flint, and on the porch, his foot slipped at the edge and dropped several feet to the ground.

SAN LUIS OBISPO.

CHARGED WITH SHOOTING.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Feb. 16.—Rube Merrimam has been arrested on a charge of assaulting and shooting at William Nicholson. A bullet from Merriman's gun passed through Nicholson's clothing, after which Merriman assaulted him with the gun, inflicting an ugly wound on the head.

BITS OF NEWS.

The Board of Trade is preparing a map of the county for exhibition at the State fair. Wheat lands, pasture lands, beet, barley, fruit, vegetable and bean lands are indicated by various colors.

Prof. Isaac P. Roberts of Cornell is to lecture before the people of this city Friday night on the California Polytechnic School.

Ex-Assemblyman J. H. Glass has removed from this county.

James Maino returned today from a three months' visit in Italy, Spain and France.

Mrs. Lucy Ingle returned today to Santa Barbara, after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. L. P. Gowland.

KERN COUNTY.

CUNNINGHAM'S TRIAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 16.—The taking of evidence began in the trial of W. P. Cunningham today, with Supt. O. C. Heck of the Valley View Oil Company as the principal witness for the prosecution. He testified that the engine, casing and other machinery had been carried away from the company's property at Kern River; that it was traced to Sunset, and found on the property of the company of which Cunningham was general manager. The shafting and numbers of the engine had been changed. Cunningham settled for the property upon the company proving ownership without resort to legal action.

Tomorrow the question of the admissibility of the deposition of Vezie and Flory, the missing witnesses, will probably come up for argument. The depositions were taken at the preliminary examination. The case may hinge on Judge Bennett's decision on this point.

CALIFORNIA AND CALIFORNIANS.

[SPECIALLY CONTRIBUTED TO THE TIMES.]

It is announced with a flourish of trumpets of jubilation that the war between three of the tongs of San Francisco's Chinatown is at an end, that peace has been declared, that all is quiet along the Barbary Coast, and that henceforth not even a stray picket will be shot as he "paces his lone sentry beat" between Ah Sing's washee-washee house and Gin Fizz's eateemeatee stand. About the bay to the north the voice of self-felicitation is heard in the land in that, for a time at least, a peaceful citizen may walk down one of the streets of Chinatown without danger of feeling an unexpected and unwelcome knife puncturing a red cavity where it is not needed in his anatomy, or being brought to a permanent pause by "the petulant pop of a pistol."

All things considered, both the jubilation and the self-felicitation, to say nothing of the trumpets, appear to be justifiable enough, for it is no slight thing to be able to feel that one may live and go where one pleases without fear of being snuffed out by the flat of a highbinder to whom one has not had the pleasure of being introduced. This feud had been in progress more than two months; the exact number of men who were foully murdered probably never will be known, but at least two of them were guiltless of any connection with the warring tongs, and dozens of others had been wounded. Certainly even temporary relief from that sort of thing is matter for congratulation.

But the interested American citizen will please to note that this peace was patched up entirely on the motion of the Mongolians themselves; they ceased murdering solely because they were ready to do so. There was no unkind compulsion; if they had desired to keep on with the red slaughter they would have done so; apparently there was nobody and nothing to interfere.

And the knowledge of this fact naturally leads up to a pertinent (rather than impertinent, let us hope,) question: How is it, and what is it, that this yellow riffraff apparently is not amenable to the law of this land? San Francisco has her blue-coated and nickel-starred guardians of the law. What are they doing that organized murder can do its red work under their very noses for more than two months, and then only cease for a time because it gets ready to do so? What is there about these mole-colored aliens that the American law, so ready to reach the rest of us, cannot seem to touch them.

Suppose a case: Suppose that 5000 white American citizens had made unto themselves a nest of concealment, such as San Francisco's Chinatown is to its Chinese; suppose that in that nest a perfect riot of murder should break out, murder systematic and continued through the days. How long do you suppose this condition of affairs would be tolerated? How long before the nest would be annihilated, even though it contained some good people? Just about long enough for the law to get to work; just long enough for police and troops to center there; just long enough for Gatling guns to be secured if they should be needed.

This is the manner in which white Americans would be treated if they were guilty of the deeds of the highbinders. But because these scoundrels are yellow—or, if that be not the reason, I know of none other—we permit them to override the law and make it a thing for contempt; or, at any rate, that is the case with San Francisco, her Chinatown and her Chinese.

The police of the western metropolis should be brought to an "attention, squad," and made to take a different view of the yellow problem. Their past inefficiency in the presence of the highbinders reflects upon all of us.

So I suggest, as a remedy right,

Since lilac coats fail in stress to act;
Since murder stays to sere and blight,
And Mongols their own laws enact;
Since we are sitting like a dunce,
While from this ill there's no release,
We give the nickel-starred a rest,
And try highbinders as police.

Some animal trainer has taught an elephant to play the harmonica. And now if the big animal cannot play better than some of the people who twist their mouths out of shape in an attempt to blow harmony out of the instrument, the trainer had better shoot or chloroform the elephant and consider the episode ended.

Editor W. A. Shepard of the Auburn Herald says: "As to Democracy in the mountains, it is all right." It may be so, and it is cheerfully conceded that probably Mr. Shepard knows. Still, I wish that he would ship some of that "all right" mountain Democracy down this way. Someway, the article down here appears to have got mixed with something or other, causing it to leave a mighty queer taste in the mouth. At any rate, a man who had tried it told me so only the other day.

The Hearst newspapers announce in a dispatch ("special by leased wire, the longest in the world,") that "a split in the party [Democratic] seems certain." Now get out your field glass and watch how happily and harmoniously that "leased wire, the longest in the world," and the Hearst papers will work together. Observe them as they father and mother and nurse that "split;" notice them as they first insert a cambric needle, and later a crowbar, in the crack. But a division would be injurious to the party, do you say? Even so; but that is not the point. The question is, would it help Willie? If it would—and, if it would not, you can conceive of nothing in the world that will—just keep your eye on the crowbar and the "longest leased wire." Oh, but they will be a merry, jingling pair. Hurt the party! Do you suppose that that is influencing Mr. Hearst? Do you fancy that the welfare of the party prompted him to throw himself into the political field as the clown hurls himself into the circus ring, heels over head. Nay, nay! Will it help Willie? That is the question. For that does Sir Harlequin tumble; for that do his papers shriek; for that is the housetop proclamation made. Begad, sir, there was a Columbine once became a queen; who shall say what may happen?

And that "longest leased wire in the world" is a merry jester. It has discovered that (I quote:) "The Roosevelt madness for dress parade and gilded pomp and all the trappings of imperial power has, through the exposure by the Hearst newspapers, become a new political issue."

Think of that, ye stout-hearted yeomen!

And directly you may hear announcement made over "the longest leased wire in the world" that President Roosevelt actually wears a silk nightshirt! Then the "longest leased" will nail the silk nightshirt to the mast and sail on to victory for the cotton-shirt voters, of whom Mr. Hearst is notably one.

Ah, but it is a merry game, my masters!

ALFRED J. WATERHOUSE.

Tryanny of Union Bosses.

The most prominent characteristic of the current labor troubles is the facility with which large numbers of union workmen are led about and made to do things contrary to their own judgment and sense of right by the insolence of union bosses and the manipulation of union meetings.

A striking illustration of this was afforded not a great while ago in the case of the brass manufacturing strike, which is yet in progress. When the meeting was called at which this strike was considered not more than a hundred out of the thousands of employés would ever attend it.

Out of this hundred even there were many who saw no cause to strike and were bitterly opposed to it as they foresaw the suffering which it would entail on their families. These men did everything they could to influence the action of the meeting. But whenever they rose to make a motion or to speak the chairman would rule them out of order, and if they persisted they were howled down. They succeeded in defeating any action in favor of a strike, but at the adjournment the walking delegates announced that there would be a strike and set the day and hour for it to begin.

It is a singular thing that even when this meeting utterly refused to call a strike the instructions of the walking delegate should have been regarded. But the fact is that at the time set nearly 2000 men quit all honest labor and became idlers, not to say paupers. The tyranny of the union boss was too much for them and at his command they reduced themselves to beggars.

The only comfort that can be offered either the employers or employés in this case is that the evils of which they complain are rapidly passing away. If there is a single unmistakable sign of the times one is that the labor unions are rapidly disintegrating and that strikes are becoming unpopular both among labor people and among all sorts of people. The day is not far distant when such incidents as the brass manufacturers's strike will be unknown.—[Chicago Chronicle.

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PASADENA, Office of The Times, Bicycle Raymond Avenue, Feb. 16. "Sunnycrest," the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones was thrown open yesterday afternoon and evening for the entertainment of 200 guests, including the elite society people of Los Angeles, Pasadena, litterateurs, artists and patrons of many kinds. The spacious grounds which feil heavily with a large attendance during the hours from 3 to 5, and throughout the evening to enjoy the hospitality provided. The decorations were elaborate and beautifully arranged. The reception hall reflected sunshine in the form of daffodils, which banked the cornices, window sills and stood tall and stately on tables and taborets. The ceiling formed a lattice between ceiling, and was entwined with and trailed gracefully to the walls. Cascades of smilax vines fell from jardinieres on the fluted brick of the fireplace and gave glints of sunlight all through the library quantities of ferns banked the mantel and a row of low book shelves, and the delicate and reddish foliage cast a ruddy glow to the rich and quaint atmosphere of this Moorish apartment.

The dining-room where Mr. and Mrs. Jones received was daintily decorated with lilies of the valley, flora dora and pink geraniums. Asparagus and pale Bride's roses in color scheme of delicate green, most appropriate for the dining room with shell pink walls and furnished in Louis XV.

The table was ornamented with green, Boston ferns and white roses arranged to produce a most effect. The table was embellished with a low bank of brides-maids roses.

The following ladies assisting were Mrs. E. Johnson, Norman Bonsall, Mrs. Herwin, John B. Miller, Mrs. McBride, Henry Kirke White, Mrs. Marshall Wotkyns, Wallace Hahn, George G. Guyer, Charles Daggett, James Swan, Walter Raymond, Mrs. Pasadena, Sumner P. Hawes, A. L. Danskin, Mrs. S. Salisbury, F. B. Silver of Los Angeles.

The guests lunched both afternoon and evening at orchestra stationed in the palms, which was inclosed with for the occasion and decorated with wearing vines of English ivy and there with

The refreshments of the afternoon were presented with viands and tempting repast a colorateness.

TOO WET.

The Board of Trade's last was in hand the question of ownership of Pasadena evidently thought to keep water out of doors and satisfy the dear public, a meeting was called for 8 o'clock but three of the nine men Chairman Harry A. Randall and P. nabled to the Board of but the other members their wigwams. The comprobably meet some time is out at the call of

FALLS DEAD.

Bennett, an elderly been visiting the family at Mountain street was found dead at the stairs in the Carday morning. It is stricken with apoplexy attempting to ascend to The terrified occuthe fall. Mrs. Bennett's a distinct shock to the Carter family, to whom herself by her ever-Her home was in and she leaves a son querque, N. M.

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PROLIC.

Green was tardy day morning and cross. This was be- who, judging by petticoats and knickhave been tucked in own, were playing "London Bridge" ting themselves in night before until were partaking of other than milk—their elders came to bed.

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the daintiest of darlings, in a gowned frock, was and squeal outbrother Henry—a in blue—tried to pretty Josie Scoeyes under her ugh to tempt any actually sulked and kissed in "drop by Jimmie Holmes, a gazelle in spite whose sailor suit was a too tight fit. Jimmy had his perky little cap held on by a rubber under his double chin which gave him the advantage over Hugh Montgomery. He had a sailor hat which set nattily on his golden curls but wouldn't stay put. He wore knickerbockers of red and a sailor blouse and was altogether fetching.

Frances Scoville, demure in her white muslin frilled frock and blue ribbons looked sweetly not-quite-five-years old and angelically innocent but was slyly mischievous; Mrs. Douglas as Emmy Lou, with her blue sash and crisp hair bows was the only really good little maid unless little Miss Taggart be excepted. She was a Cranford baby, prim in her starched nainsook and stiff pig-tail braids surmounted by a neat chip hat.

Miss Katherine Robertson, with her cropped tow hair, Sunday-best pique and cute jacket was a suitable sister for Buster Brown, and Buster was there. And in duplicate and triplicate. Bennie Bradshaw made one gay Buster, Henry Zier another, Clarence Conant a third and each acted the part in his own peculiar way, quite disconcerting every Foxy Grandpa present.

J. A. Brooks in pink kilts made a twin brother to Henry French and they amused themselves with toy balloons.

W. E. Grattan as "Little Boy Blue" had no rival; Mrs. Campion and Miss Daly took the prize as chubby twin darlings. With their low-necked soft mull gowns, curled locks falling on their dimpled shoulders, bare dimpled arms, corals and round pump faces they needed no rattles to tell they were babies.

Charlotte Dwight, another naughty girl who wouldn't take off her sunbonnet, looked as pretty as a picture in her soft, straight dimity, neat little slippered feet and white stockings.

Angie Holmes and Altadena Green were rival beauties and perfect replicas of old-time miniatures. Their curls, tied with huge bows at the left side, hung about their faces and shoulders most bewitchingly, dainty figured muslins fell just below the knee, low sashed and trim, white stockings and beribboned slippers completed their loveliness.

Two little darky girls got in somehow, and nobody knew for a long time that they were Mrs. W. E. Grattan and Mrs. Vilas; Miss Elizabeth Robertson won all hearts as plump and pretty "Dotty-Dimple;" Miss Hortense Powers was a saucy, short-skirted miss who frisked most naturally, Nancy Brown had come to town, indeed with flowing locks and fluffy skirts; Roy Macomber was resplendent in checked gingham jumper which had no pocket, so he couldn't find his handkerchief; Ray Mostiller, in a white and red sailor suite danced the hornpipe with zest; Eddie Greenendyke, as a country boy strayed in to his own confusion; Mrs. Holmes was a country lassie just six. Little Lord Fauntleroy was there in velvet suit and long curls (Mr. Moore,) as well as the Prince in "Prince and Pauper" at the happy age of 8. Mrs. Dwight in nurse's cap and apron kindly took charge of them all.

And they played spat in and spat outring around the rosy, and all the children's games, letting pandemonium reign for full two hours.

And they danced; the girls reveling in the freedom of short skirts, and the men reveling in looking on.

After midnight all adjourned to the café, where they were more madly merry than ever.

CROWN CITY NOTELETS.

More than half an inch of rain has fallen in Pasadena and its environs in the past twenty-four hours. Orange picking is temporarily delayed, but the delay will be more than compensated by the general benefit to the growing vegetation.

Mrs. Jennie M. Patterson, a native of New York, died yesterday at her residence, No. 87 South Mentor avenue. She leaves a widower and several children, the latter including Dr. H. C. Patterson of Monrovia. Rev. Dorris will conduct the funeral Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at the house.

Lem Queue, Chinese laundryman, was before Judge Congdon yesterday for obstructing South Fair Oaks avenue. His laundry wagon had imitated the auto by breaking down. It cost him $3.

Tonight the High School Glee Club will give its first public concert. An attractive programme has been arranged under direction of LeRoy Jepson, an alumnus of the school. The affair will take place in Woodman Hall.

At All Saints' Church this morning Rector MacCormack will deliver a Lenten sermon. In the afternoon Deacon Robinson will officiate at appropriate Lenten exercises.

D. F. Delape, a Pasadena man interested in the Pentagon Mining Company, has just returned from their camp near Blake, with stories as long as your arm about the gold down there. Other members of the company are J. F. Main of Pasadena, C. D. Houghton and Dr. J. Doan Carey of Los Angeles.

Dr. Lyman Abbott, the noted economist and editor of The Outlook, has sent his acceptance of an invitation recently extended him by the Congregationalists of Pasadena to lecture in this city some time during the month of March.

Preparations for the school performance of "The House that Jack Built," which is to be presented at the Lowe Friday evening and Saturday afternoon, are well advanced, and the seat sale already assures a large attendance of both society and lay people.

Policeman LaTourette last night arrested Ben Dowski, a carpenter who had a good sized jag, as well as a handy-looking knife on. He was booked on the charge of carrying concealed weapons.

Will have a car of Pennsylvania Anthracite coal on track this morning. Diamond Fuel and Feed Co.

Wigwam, Indian curios, antiques. 360 S. Marengo.

The war is on in Jap. mattings at Pennel's.

Pennsylvania Anthracite at L. M. Jacob's.

Spring embroideries at Bon Accord.

Cut flowers at Glasscock's.

Wadsworth sells paints.

SAN PEDRO.

S S. ALBATROSS COMING.

SAN PEDRO, Feb. 16.—The United States Fish Commission steamer Albatross will sail tomorrow from San Francisco for a cruise along this coast to collect fish for the museum at Washington. It is expected that a considerable time will be spent in this harbor, where the Albatross will dredge for the different species of fish, this locality being considered an excellent place for procuring specimens. It is stated that Prof. David Starr Jordan, president of Stanford University, will be a member of the party to sail on the Albatross.

The Japanese social given last night at the Wetherby Operahouse for the benefit of St. Peter's Episcopal Church was well attended. Selections from the "Mikado" fan drill in Japanese costume, and vocal and instrumental selections composed the programme, which was listened to by a large audience.

The San Pedro Canning Company received six tons of abalones yesterday from Laguna. They are being canned at the factory on Terminal Island.

Miss Margaret Lyons and George Herman of this city were united in marriage this morning by Father P. J. Smith at the Church of Our Lady Star of the Sea.

The San Pedro bowling team of the Interurban League met and defeated the Crescents of Los Angeles on the Monarch alleys by a score of 2407 to 2393 pins last night.

A marriage license has been issued to Agastino Esposito and Giolano Califano, Italian residents of San Pedro.

Alexander Gunther and wife of Omaha, Neb., are visiting City Clerk O. C. Abbott.

L. J. O'Reilly and family of Missoula, Mont., have arrived here to reside.

CLAREMONT.

COLLEGE TOWN NOTES.

CLAREMONT, Feb. 16.—Honor was done to the memory of a late member of the Pomona College Choral Union at the entertainment given by that body last evening. A vacant chair was decorated for Rev. Henry White Jones. A eulogy was pronounced by President Gates. The entertainment was in charge of Prof. F. A. Bacon.

The funeral of Rev. Mr. Jones will take place here Wednesday afternoon.

Prof. and Mrs. Baker chaperoned a party of sophomore young ladies to the mountains yesterday, for an all-day botany excursion.

POMONA.

HIGH SCHOOL PROGRESSES.

POMONA, Feb. 16.—Work is progressing steadily and satisfactorily upon the new High School building, it being the desire to complete the structure by the time of the spring vacation. The plasterers have finished the inside and now have about half the outside done. The outside plastering will be tinted a buff color. Pulp blackboards a quarter of an inch thick are being glued to the walls of the school rooms and cement walks and curbing are being laid around the building.

Mrs. J. M. Cochrane of Grand Forks, N. D., is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. M. Doolittle.

LONG BEACH.

FOR A PRETTY BLUFF.

LONG BEACH, Feb. 16.—An effort is on foot to procure funds to adorn the ragged bluff near the pier and on either side. It is proposed that the ground be divided into three sections and the Salt Lake Railroad Company, the Seaside Water Company and the Pacific Electric Company join with the Board of Trade in putting this neglected plat in order.

BEACHLETS.

Great numbers of barracuda are being taken by local fishermen.

The launch Fashion has arrived safely in San Diego with twenty-five passengers. The little craft will return on Thursday.

When the storm was at its height today a lake formed on Locust avenue, near First street, and the water was at least two feet in depth. It was caused by the fill on First street.

A Japanese diver will look for the Elliott anchorage off the pier tomorrow.

The Cosmopolitan Club cleared nearly $500 by the minstrel entertainment given last night. The proceeds will be expended in equipping the boys' gymnasium.

The funeral of Henry Downs was held this morning. The pallbearers were all old friends of deceased in Minneapolis, who came to California with him.

HOLLYWOOD.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

HOLLYWOOD, Feb. 16.—Mrs. H. J. Whitley, president of the Hollywood Club, entertained its members and a few guests at her beautiful home on Prospect boulevard Monday afternoon. The parlors were tastely decorated with the products of Mr. Whitley's gardens, roses, carnations and poinsettias predominating. The occasion was a Valentine heart party, in which the ladies competed for many beautiful and valuable prizes. The first and second prizes, gold-mounted vases, were won by Mrs. E. W. Elliott and Mrs. W. E. Townsend. The consolation, a silver pin tray, was awarded Miss Winstanley. The guest prizes, silver heart-shaped book marks, were won by Mrs. Dr. Palmer and Mrs. Dr. Davidson. Light refreshments were served.

Those present were Mmes. E. S. Waldron, McKeeby, A. G. Bartlett, E. W. Elliott, G. Dunbar Hall, Hanchet Morey, C. J. Wade, C. W. Walker, W. H. Townsend, Wylie Wade, Jr., Davidson Palmer, Morgan Henry, Steadman Herndon, Canterbury Lewis, Boyle, and Misses Ester Dent, Margaret Dent, Pearl Herndon, William Stanly, and Ada Sandison.

Mary Young, the eldest daughter of City Attorney Robert Young, entertained a number of her young friends at a Valentine tea Saturday evening.

Mrs. Gov. Beveridge will receive 150 ladies Saturday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Raymond.

VARIOUS NOTES.

The Hollywood W.C.T.U. will celebrate Frances Willard's "Heavenly Birthday" with appropriate services at the home of Mrs. Gov. Beveridge Wednesday afternoon.

Next Friday evening the Union High School will give a reproduction of the Continental Congress, which adopted the Declaration of Independence.

The special meetings at the Christian Church conducted by Dr. Shepherd will close Thursday evening.

SIERRA MADRE.

MOSTLY PERSONAL.

SIERRA MADRE Feb. 16.—Mrs. Dan McFarland and daughter gave a Valentine party on Sunday at which a large number of Los Angeles ladies and gentlemen were present.

Allen Brice and family, who have occupied the Kemp house for several months past, left last week for Ocean Park, where they have purchased a grocery store.

Mr. and Mrs. Gausewitz of Illinois have rented a cottage on Auburn avenue for the balance of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Carter celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary last week.

Mrs. Mendsen and Mrs. Adams, who have occupied the Buck cottage, left last week for Redlands.

E. Waldo Ward is here looking after his valuable property interests. The foundation of his large new residence is under way.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey of Nebraska have rented the Humphries cottage on Mountain Trail avenue, they coming for Mrs. Jeffrey's health.

The C. E. social Saturday evening in the parlors of the Congregational Church was a very enjoyable affair, the musical programme being under the direction of Miss Edith Humphries. Rev. Mr. Stebbins, the pastor, read the opening chapter of his new book which he is writing entitled "The Sinners of Stillwater," which proved very interesting.

The ladies of the Congregational Church will give a supper in the church parlors on the evening of Washington's birthday and fine musical programmes under the direction of Miss Edith Humphries will be rendered.

A large number of people from the valley spent Saturday and Sunday at Wilson's Peak, going via the old Wilson trail.

The Vista building, which was built during the boom and was the home of the Sierra Madre Vista newspaper for several years, has been removed to West Central avenue.

OCEAN PARK.

TOWNS MAY LITIGATE.

OCEAN PARK, Feb. 16.—Eight years ago the then town of Santa Monica constructed sewers and carried the outfall 1200 feet into the ocean at a point now known as Pier avenue, Ocean Park. In order to hold the sewer pipe in place iron piling was driven and to break the force of the waves and support the iron piles wooden ones were put down and these formed a pier. After a few years along came a promotion company and secured a twenty-year lease from Santa Monica and by placing a floor upon this long row of piling made of it a pleasure pier. The Casino was later on erected adjoining the pier and quite recently buildings have been built on the pier itself and are now being rented by the promotion company as business houses. Even the sands adjacent to the pier are being rented in similar fashion. Business people in Ocean Park who hold that their trade is being injured promise to carry the matter into the courts and learn if the rights of Santa Monica to her pier are not abused.

AVENUE TO BE PAVED.

Public improvement continues to be the order of the day here. The property owners of Hollister avenue have just contracted for the paving of that thoroughfare from Ocean Front through to the electric tracks, a distance of 600 feet. Pier avenue is also being treated to about 1000 feet of concrete sidewalk, from Ocean Front to the electric tracks.

SANTA MONICA.

WANT YOUNG CITY TO PAY.

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 16.—That a contest between the city of Santa Monica and the infant municipality of Ocean Park over the sewage question is likely, is indicated by one of the things done at last night's meeting of the City Trustees. Territory within the new city of Ocean Park is drained by a sewer which discharges into Santa Monica's outfall. The Ocean Parkers claim a right to the use of the Santa Monica main sewer under certain old contracts.

At last evening's session of the Santa Monica City Trustees a resolution was presented which provided for the new city of Ocean Park being given the use of the outfall sewer for the sum of $75 a month. The resolution was tabled, but the question is likely to be brought up soon again in a new form.

The committee appointed a week ago to consider the matter of bonding the city for improvement purposes made a partial report. The committee recommended $15,000 for fire department purposes and $10,000 for a fill at bridge No. 2 near the old Santa Fé depot on Ocean avenue. The committee favored bonds for park improvement purposes, but was undecided as to the amount that should be asked for. It also said that a strong sentiment was found for municipal ownership of a lighting and gas plant and also water.

Among several ordinances referred to the Committee on Judiciary, were one regulating the quality and price of gas, another that of electricity for lighting, and the annual ordinance fixing water rates which makes many cuts in the rates. It is said that the electric lighting ordinance reduces by one-half the present schedule of prices.

SEASIDE NOTES.

Ransom B. Bishop, a resident of Santa Monica about fifteen years ago, returned last week and took apartments at No. 115 Third street, where he died last night at the age of 83. His wife was buried here several years ago.

Oscar Blenvenue, a Frenchman who roomed at C. Fennell's house on Colorado avenue, near Second street, showed unmistakable signs of insanity this morning and was taken to the County Hospital by Deputy Constable Jackson.

Cocktail Cherry is "Dead."

Fickle fashion, the Johnnies' good angel, inexorable fate of moderns, has now turned its whimsical eye of censure on the cocktail cherry. No more does the urbane dispenser of liqueurs and cordials keep the candied fruit among his iridescent bottles. No more does he poise the sugared befry of the small boy's sorrow and the bluejay's fancy on a silver tong. "One, sir? Two Very well, sir." No more.

Nay, nay. If the ill-informed Lochinvar or the thirsty lamb that is just placing his monocle upon the prospect of appetizing exhilaration says anything about cherries or appears expectant or disappointed when a clear Manhattan is placed before him, the worthy "barkeep" conjures up a bad weather eye, sniffs the contempt he feels through his long black mustache, and with an insolent wink at no one in particular, finally fishes from the depths of the unseeable a dusty bottle and thoves it toward the undesirable customer, as if to say: "There, 'elp yourself if yuh don't know no better."

The barkeeper has little use for the "gent what doesn't know." There is as strict observance of form and etiquette in a Broadway café as there is in an uptown drawing-room or—well, a diplomatic reception; and there is no detail too small or insignificant, or too slight, for the young blood to practice and acquire, and spring on his less sophisticated brother. Where the fashion in drink comes from no one has officially declared. But it is a fact indisputable that where two years ago a young man in the paletot coat sipped his cocktail at the club and watched the delicious beverage sink, slowly toward the two, perhaps three, iridescent cherries, he now drains the amber syrup to the drops in the glass and munches nothing but the piquancy of the bitters. Perhaps the cherries—like the cat—will come back again, but just now there is no denying they are in strict abeyance, and there is no greater bull than a call for them.—[New York Commercial Advertiser.

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First-class tickets between San Francisco and Los Angeles, either direction, including stop and two days' entertainment at famous Hotel Del Monte, only $22. Children, $14.50. Privilege of 20 days' stop over. Bathing, boating, fishing, driving, riding, automobiling, golfing, etc. Scenery beautiful and grand. Ask Southern Pacific agents.

Prize Estimates.

Earn a prize on your judgment. See Times' special offer in another column for nearest correct estimates of number of separate "Liner" announcements which will appear in all the Los Angeles newspapers during week ending February 20.

INCH OF RAIN ON BIG AREA.

Southern California Gets a General Wetting.

Much Snow in Mountains and More Expected.

Season's Total Above Two and One-half Inches.

"Gold falling down!"

Speaking it in at least two dialects and looking it in a dozen, Chinatown yesterday joined in the general rejoicing over the rain.

"Look kim toy," shouted the joyful See Yups.

"Look kum chi," yelled the Sam Yups, and the Yeung Sans in exuberance of happiness.

No matter what the words were, they all meant the same thing. The pigtailed men of the Orient lifted their voices with the less hirsute denizens of the Occident in an international hallelujah, because descending moisture gave promise of golden returns from truck patches, berry farms and other agricultural fields.

Chinatown, it appears, had been expecting the rain. Nearly every vegetable grower had long before equipped himself with a 10-cent barometer. The intricacies of Chinese mathematics are too deep for men of the West to follow, but, with a little data on "high" and "low" for a beginning the Orientals had the rain reckoned well in advance of its coming, according to reports from Chinese sources.

ONE INCH PROBABLE AVERAGE.

The fall from 7:30 o'clock to midnight last night, as registered by The Times rain gauge, was .04 of an inch, making .94 of an inch for the storm or 2.34 inches for the season.

For that part of Southern California lying west of the San Bernardino range of mountains and southerly and westerly from the north part of Kern county, the precipitation has probably averaged one inch for the storm. Reports received from the various localities indicate that the precipitation ran from .30 of an inch at some interior points to over two inches in San Luis Obispo county.

The storm renders probable a hay crop on a big acreage in Southern California. If more good rains follow it is likely that grain will be harvested in some localities where conditions are particularly favorable. Previous to yesterday's precipitation early dry-sown grain was beginning to sprout, but the growth was retarded by the hardness of the top crust. It is believed the storm has softened this top crust so as to make easier the growth of the young shoots.

At the government weather bureau far above where street influences deviate air currents and temperatures, the weather observers at their evening observations thought the situation looked favorable for a good deal more rain. The barometer had scarcely fluctuated since early morning, and that with a downward trend from 29.91 inches to 29.86 inches. The wind had been from the east both at the morning and evening observations, and the velocity on both occasions had been six miles per hour.

For the twenty-four hours to 5 p.m. yesterday the government rain gauge registered .78 of an inch, making 2.42 inches for the season.

The gauge above The Times building at 7:30 o'clock last evening registered .90 of an inch, which reading, allowing for the fall from 5 p.m. to that time, corresponds closely with the one reported by the government observer.

MOUNTAINS GET SNOW.

The day's rainfall at Idyllwild, Riverside county, yesterday, exceeded three-fourths of an inch. Manager Lowe last evening reported the temperature sinking steadily, and said he expected that snow would fall before this morning. "There is snow on the neighboring peaks extending down to a level about 1000 feet above us," said Mr. Lowe. "Reports from various points in the vicinity indicate that the mountains are receiving a good wetting. Above the present snow line there has been a fall of from six to ten inches of snow."

In the mountains back of Redlands there is a little snow. At Fredalba .79 of an inch had fallen up to 8 o'clock last evening, and was continuing steadily. The upper end of Bear Valley has received an inch of precipitation. At the Bear Valley dam .60 of an inch has fallen.

The estimated fall at Wilson's Peak last evening exceeded an inch for the storm. The temperature there Monday night and yesterday, as reported from Martin's Camp, was too high for snow, but last evening it was growing colder and it was expected that snow would be falling before this morning.

FROM SCATTERED POINTS.

The beginning of the rain at Pomona was at 3 a.m. The fall was steady during most of the day.

Whittier caught the first drops at 4 a.m. Last evening .64 of an inch had fallen.

At Long Beach between 2 a.m. and 3:15 p.m. the precipitation was 1.06 inches; total for season, 2.92 inches.

Advices from San Luis Obispo received last evening say that for the storm over two inches of rain has fallen in that locality and that the fall seems to have been well distributed along the neighboring coast.

News from Bakersfield indicates that the rain there yesterday was the heaviest of the season. Bakersfield got .41 of an inch. Through Kern county the fall ranged from .22 at Lakeside to .93 at Caliente. At Tehachepi the fall was .93. Cattlemen and sheepmen expect to be greatly benefited after the passing of the critical period of the growing of the fresh feed.

In Ventura county the average for the storm is rather better than an inch. The total for the season there is 3.30 inches.

At Riverside the downpour began at 8 a.m. Last evening the precipitation had amounted to .36 of an inch; total for season, 2.29 inches. Conditions there last evening appeared to be good for a continuance of the fall.

Corona reported that rain there began at 4 a.m. and amounted to .30 of an inch.

In Redlands a light rain fell, beginning at 3 o'clock yesterday morning. The fall for the season in Redlands is 2.20 inches.

A precipitation of .32 of an inch was noted in Santa Ana from 6 a.m. to noon yesterday. During the afternoon there was a light fall and the indications last evening were favorable to a continuance. The rain comes at an opportune time to give grain and other crops a good start, and the light showers have allowed all the moisture to soak into the ground and do a maximum of good.

Fullerton had an all-day fall, which it is expected will be of great benefit to hay and cabbage growers and to bee men.

San Diego got the first rain yesterday at 9 a.m., from which hour it increased to a steady downpour. In the interior of that county the fall began earlier. In those districts grass is reported to have appeared to some extent and it is believed the present storm may ameliorate the feed shortage situation. It is thought that the dry-sown grain, sprouted by earlier rains, will be saved so a hay crop may be obtained from it.

Julian reported an inch, Upper Otay .50 of an inch, Lower Otay .30 and Jamul .43.

A New Wrinkle, (No. 5.)

Ox-Tail Soup

1 small ox-tail; carrots, turnips, onions, celery (½ cup with each cut in small pieces); ½ teaspoonful salt; ¼ cup Madeira Wine; 1 teaspoonful Worcestershire Sauce; 1 teaspoonful lemon juice; 5 cups brown stock made from Armour's Extract of Beef

Cut Ox-tail in small pieces, wash, drain, sprinkle with salt and pepper, dredge with flour, and fry in butter 10 minutes. Add to stock and simmer one hour. Then add vegetables which have been parboiled 20 minutes and simmer until vegetables are soft. Add salt, pepper, wine, Worcestershire sauce and lemon juice.

Above is taken from edition *de luxe* "Culinary Wrinkles" (full out) which will be sent postpaid to any address on receipt of a metal cap from jar of Armour's Extract of Beef.

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COFFER FAMILY FINDS FRIENDS.

TICKET PROVIDED FOR RETURN OF DESERTED DAUGHTER.

Another Misfortune Confronts the Plucky Mrs. Coffer in Being Ordered to Remove Her Home from Present Site — Unions Would Shield Deserter.

Did ever misfortunes come singly in this vale of tears? When a family seemingly have all that their shoulders can bear of adversity, did you ever notice that it is just then that Fate turns on another spigot and deluges the suffering mortals with trouble?

Some such sort of philosophy may well have found lodgment in the minds of one east-side family—the Coffers, who have been struggling for existence as they live in a little tent down in the Arroyo Seco bottoms while their rightful provider, the husband and father, has deserted them and is living in luxury in the East as he pleads for "The poor and the oppressed," and wags his jaw as a professional labor agitator.

The Times last Sunday gave an account of Sterling Price Coffer's base desertion of his family and his wandering back to Chicago to pose as a labor leader, while his frail little wife was left here to struggle with the maintenance of the five children and the aged father and mother.

The father's enticement of the eldest daughter, a girl of fifteen years, to go to him in Chicago, and his practical desertion of the child in that great, wicked city, was followed by the death here of Spaulding Davis, the aged father of Mrs. Coffer, and the great drain upon her resources for the expenses of his final illness and funeral.

Then came the pitiful letter from the heart-broken Mary Coffer, telling of her illness in Chicago, and of her hard life there, and pleading that she be sent for to come back to home and mother.

With all the uncertainty of her daughter's condition and circumstances, and with the distressing knowledge that to send for the girl was practically an impossibility in the depleted state of the family finances, the brave Mrs. Coffer has had many dark hours, and it seemed that the burden was all that this one pair of shoulders could bear.

But one never knows what is the limit of their endurance, and last Saturday, as the somber clouds of the present rainstorm were hanging heavy over the simple little tent home down along the Santa Fé railway, and steps were being taken to make the family's quarters as snug as possible for the coming storm, a man came to the tent door and notified the family that the premises would have to be vacated at once; that the lots had been purchased by a company which was going to install a lumber yard, and that the very spot on which the humble little home stood was to be occupied by a side track from the Santa Fé road.

This was the last straw for poor Mrs. Coffer. With her own hands this little woman had raised the frame for her canvas shelter, had laid the floor and hung the doors. She had, by painful saving, secured enough lumber to make the habitation fairly comfortable, and now, out of funds, and with all these other demands pressing upon her, the necessity of moving the home to some other spot, and of securing a location from some source seemed the acme of misfortune.

But the longest lane has its turning, and with the publication of the facts in regard to the heroic struggle being made by Mrs. Coffer to care for her family, has come some response from those who were touched by the pathetic situation. This might well be followed by other responses to the needs of the family in providing for them a new place of shelter.

Soon after reading the narrative in Sunday's Times a gentleman of this city interested himself in the case, and succeeded in securing from the Santa Fé Railway Company a reduced rate for a ticket to bring the deserted daughter back from Chicago. Not only this, but through his agency the funds for this reduced rate have been advanced to Mrs. Coffer, and a letter will soon be speeding to Chicago, bearing the good news to the child who is crying her eyes out as she sits in the hospital and longs for the dear ones at home.

Aside from this substantial help, other friends made contributions for the immediate help of the Coffer family; but the burden of a new location for the tent home, and the cost of tearing down the structure and rebuilding it is now the urgent matter.

Here is an opportunity for those who like to help those who try to help themselves. The three little boys have been taken by their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Davison, to their ranch in the Carribou district, in the mountains, on the line between Los Angeles and Ventura counties, and where they are needed to help keep the public school up to its required quota of children. While this is a temporary relief, it at the same time takes from the Coffer home the little they could earn here in the city, and they have added many nickles and dimes to the family treasury by their faithful work, despite their young years.

Sunday afternoon representatives of the labor unions of Los Angeles called at the Coffer home, and vainly endeavored to secure from members of the family assertions that The Times' article was untrue. They got more than they bargained for, and Mrs. Davison, sister of the deserted wife, gave the unionists "a piece of her mind" that staggered them.

Here is an Idea.

Few people are aware that Mormon Bishop's Pills remove all the effects of disease and give new vigor to manhood. They cleanse and build. They are the best on earth for the price, 60 cents a box, 6 boxes at $2.50. For sale by Off & Vaughn Drug Co., 303 S. Spring street.

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The rainy weather yesterday doubtless kept a great many prospective purchasers away from this remarkable "Surplus Stock" Sale of High-Class Pianos.

But many customers braved the elements—and up to 4 o'clock there had been seven pianos sold; two of the famous Baus make, one Steinway Upright and one Kranich & Bach Cabinet Grand, and several of the cheaper grades.

There were five Pianos sold Monday (and seven yesterday) making twelve for the first two days of the sale; which, under the circumstances, would be very satisfactory to the firm.

There is little doubt but the sale will show a big increase in the number of Pianos purchased from day to day, as the news spreads from house to hamlet, and reaches the outlying districts.

Two additional carloads of pianos arrived yesterday. These will go on sale today, as soon as they can be brought up from the depot, at $155.00; pianos that would be $250.00 under ordinary conditions.

The above instruments are in every respect equal, if not superior, to the instruments sold by department stores for $300.00 (ten dollars down and a dollar a week.)

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ON THE WATER FRONT.

PORT SAN PEDRO, LOS ANGELES

ARRIVED—TUESDAY, FEB. 16.

Steamer Coos Bay, Capt. Nicholson, from San Francisco and way ports.

Steamer Lakme, Capt. Christensen, from San Diego.

Steamer South Bay, Capt. Jameson, from Eureka via San Francisco and Santa Barbara.

SAILED—TUESDAY, FEB. 16.

Steamer Coos Bay, Capt. Nicholson, for San Francisco and way ports.

Steamer Lakme, Capt. Christensen, for San Francisco.

Barkentine Charles F. Crocker, Capt. Dwars, for Everett in ballast.

Schooner Cecelia Sudden, Capt. Bellesen, for Gray's Harbor in ballast.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT.

TUESDAY—FEB. 16.

Steamer Coos Bay, S. P., L. A. & S. L. wharf.

Steamer South Bay, Southern Pacific wharf.

Bark Haydn Brown, Southwestern L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Oliver J. Olsen, Stimson L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Alvena, Southwestern L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Expansion, Kerckhoff - Cuzner

Schooner Alice McDonald, Griffith L. Co. wharf.

Schooner Sadie, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.

Schooner Argus, L. W. Blinn Co. wharf.

Schooner Caroline, Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.

Schooner William Nottingham, S. P. L. Co. wharf.

DUE AT THIS PORT.

Steamer Prentiss, from Portland via San Francisco.

Steamer Pasadena, from Eureka.

Steamer Santa Barbara, from Seattle, via San Francisco.

Steamer Brooklyn, from Fort Bragg, via San Francisco.

Steamer W. H. Kruger, from Eureka, via San Francisco.

British bark Hawthornbank, from Antwerp.

Barkentine J. M. Griffith, from Port Hadlock.

Barkentine Quickstep, from Tacoma.

Steamer Marion, from Aberdeen.

Schooner W. S. Smith, from Port Gamble.

Schooner Lottie Bennett, from Everett.

Schooner Comet, from Aberdeen.

Schooner Eric, from Port Ballard.

Schooner Sausalito, from Gray's Harbor.

Schooner Resolute, from Bellingham.

SCHEDULED FOR THIS PORT.

Steamer Centralia, Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Santa Cruz, San Francisco.
Steamer Scotia, Bowen's Landing.
Steamer Olympic, Bellingham.
Steamer Marshfield, Eureka.
Steamer Alcatraz, Greenwood.
Bark Hesper, Tacoma.
Bark Reaper, Tacoma.
Barkentine Retriever, Port Hadlock.
Barkentine Addenda, South Bend.
Barkentine W. H. Hume, Ballard.
Barkentine Flickinger, Astoria.
Barkentine John Palmer, Port Gamble.
Schooner Spokane, Port Gamble.
Schooner Columbia, Ballard.
Schooner Robert Searles, Port Townsend.
Schooner Ruth E. Godfrey, Ballard.
Schooner Balboa, Winslow.
Schooner Willis A. Holden, Everett.
Schooner Excelsior, South Bend.
Schooner Taurus, Tacoma.
Schooner Luzon, Tacoma.
Schooner Espada, Aberdeen.
Schooner Susie Plummer, Tacoma.
Schooner A. M. Campbell, Blaine.
Schooner Daughters, Gray's Harbor.
Schooner J. M. Coleman, Tacoma.
Schooner Annie Larsen, Tacoma.
Schooner W. H. Smith, Anacortes.
Schooner Manila, Everett.
Schooner Ethel Zane, Ballard.
Schooner Mauweema, Ballard.
Schooner Manilla, Everett.
Schooner King Cyrus, Tacoma.
Schooner Stimson, Ballard.
Schooner H. D. Bendixen, Aberdeen.
Schooner R. C. Slade, Aberdeen.
Schooner Charles E. Falk, Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Dora Bluhm, Eureka.
Schooner Schome, Everett.
Schooner William F. Witzman, Astoria.

The steamer Hermosa makes regular daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

TO LEAVE—WEDNESDAY, FEB. 17.

Steamer South Bay, Capt. Jameson, for San Francisco.

Schooner Carolina, Capt. Westerdahl, for Umpqua River in ballast.

Schooner Oliver J. Olsen, Capt. Olsen, for Tacoma in ballast.

SATURDAY, Feb. 20.—Steamer Bonita, Capt. Gielow, for San Francisco and way ports.

SUNDAY, Feb. 21.—Steamer Santa Cruz, Capt. Alberts, for San Francisco and way ports.

MOVEMENT OF "MOSQUITO" FLEET.

TUESDAY—FEB. 16.

All the boats of the "Mosquito" fleet remained at their moorings today on account of the southeaster and the roughness of the ocean outside.

TIDE TABLE FOR SAN PEDRO.

		High.	Low.
Wednesday, Feb.	17	9:36 a.m.	3:06 a.m.
		10:25 p.m.	4:07 p.m.
Thursday,	18	10:07 a.m.	3:36 a.m.
		10:59 p.m.	4:29 p.m.
Friday,	19	10:48 a.m.	4:07 a.m.
		11:18 p.m.	4:55 p.m.
Saturday,	20	11:09 a.m.	4:42 a.m.
		11:54 p.m.	5:19 p.m.
Sunday,	21	11:49 a.m.	5:29 a.m.
			6:51 p.m.
Monday,	22	0:36 a.m.	6:29 a.m.
		12:45 p.m.	6:37 p.m.
Tuesday,	23	1:36 a.m.	7:53 a.m.
		2:00 p.m.	7:39 p.m.

PORT ITEMS.

ALONG THE WATER FRONT.

WEATHER: Rain at 5 p.m.; wind southeast, velocity 14 miles.

The passenger steamer Coos Bay arrived this morning from San Francisco and way ports with 400 tons of merchandise consigned to the Pacific Coast Steamship Company. After discharging she took a return cargo and cleared for San Francisco and way ports.

The schooner Oamaru which was scheduled for this port had her orders changed and sailed yesterday from Port Gamble for San Francisco with a lumber cargo.

The barkentine Charles F. Crocker and the schooner Cecelia Sudden finished discharging lumber cargoes and sailed in ballast to reload, the former for Everett and the latter for Gray's Harbor.

The steamer Lakme finished discharging a lumber cargo at San Diego and called today at this port for passengers bound north for San Francisco.

The steamer South Bay arrived today from Eureka after discharging a part of her cargo at Santa Barbara. She brought 113,000 feet of lumber consigned to the Ganahl Lumber Company.

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First Showing of New Spring WASH GOODS

The number of pretty weaves, the delicacy of coloring, the variety of patterns which have been witnessed in the past years would that there was little additional for the manufacturers or designers to accomplish; but the new goods as shown for the spring and are in so many points superior to those of last year that a mere printed description cannot adequately convey either their beauty or It certainly is to your own interest to pay a personal visit to this great wash goods department of ours where Tuesday morning for will be shown the very best of the spring novelties. As an assortment they stand matchless and alone, for we acknowledge no on the Pacific coast. Every freight and express from now on bring additional consignments, so there will be something new every will take pleasure in coming not only once but often.

Mercerized Fancy Dress Madras—both white and colored grounds with pink, blue, oxblood, green, tan and black stripes. This is a new creation for the season and is given an Introductory price per yard..... 35c

36-inch Veil Crepe—a very pretty spring and summer fabric in colorings of navy, cream, tan, gray, light blue, and lavender. It is a delicate weave, very new and stylish and bouud to be popular. Introductory price per yard..... 35c

Figured Mousseline de Soie—30 inches wide; an excellent dressy early spring fabric in white or tinted grounds with figured patterns or in light blue, dark blue and black grounds with small figures. Introductory price per yard..... 35c

Champagne Madras—the newest spring colorings; highly mercerized with pretty stripes. This is at present the most popular wash goods in New York City. Will wash nicely. Introductory price per yard..... 35c

Cream Bedford Cord—30 inches wide, soft finish; looks like wool; washes nicely and will make up into a very pretty stylish suit. Introductory price per yard.... 35c

White Mercerized Madras—A shirt waist material in very striking original patterns. Will both launder and wear nicely and is of a width that takes but 2½ yards for a waist pattern. Introductory price per yard..... 35c

Imported Nub-Tail Suitings—30 inches wide in solid colors of pink, blue, gray, tan and black. This is an imported fabric which is at present very popular in Europe and will attain great prestige in this country. Introductory price per yard..... 50c

Egyptian Tussul—A beautiful dainty evening fabric that looks like pure silk. Is in pretty shades of light pink, light blue, Nile green, heliotrope and white. Is very soft and clingy and will make a rich, handsome gown. Introductory price per yard..... 50c

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Mercerized Pongee—Popular linen color with and dots of same shade. This material is 30 is a very popular full suit fabric. Introductory price per yard.....

Dark Linen Pongee—handsome stylish floral tionally fine weave. Will make up nicely der well. Introductory price per yard.....

White Mercerized Madras—soft finish; is in and is a fabric we import direct. A numb styles to select from and will look as well washing. Introductory price per yard.....

$1.50 Oval Framed Pictures at 6

As a special February Trade Sale leader for Wednesday only we will offer 100 handsome framed pictures in all colors; furnished with glass; the length of frame 19 inches and they are in two finishes, either full gilt with fancy moulding and beading or Flemish with gilt moulding and beading. The frames alone are worth more than the price of the picture. There will be a limit of one and no mail or telephone orders and they will be placed on sale in our Picture Department at 9:30 a.m. Actual $1.50 values for.....

FOURTH FLOOR

Imported Crepe de Chine per yard $1.00.

A large lot of this popular soft clingy textile—23 inches wide. Fifty new pieces get their initial showing this week. The colors are brown, purple, champagne, light and dark blue, tan, gray, red and others as also white, black and cream. Shown in other stores at $1.25. We shall price them per yd..... $1.00

23-inch Imported Pongee Silks at $1

25 pieces of the natural colored Pongee silks have just been re were imported by ourselves direct. Sixty days from now these materials must necessarily advance because of the Ja sian war; so you will do well to purchase from this lot as they will be the most stylish silk of the season for suits or waists. They are pure silk, will launder nicely and introduced at per yd..... $1

$1.50 Sateen Petticoats 98c

Black Sateen Petticoats—also an assortment of black and white in dotted patterns. They are finished with three or four ruffles on flounce, are nicely proportioned and actual $1.50 values. For Wednesday only, choice..... 98c

SECOND FLOOR

85c Enameled Tea Kettle 59c.

The best grade "Royal" steel enamelware—has enameled cover and holds about 7 qts. Will outlast two ordinary kettles. Sells regularly at 85c. For Wednesday only, no mail or telephone orders and limit one... 59c

FOURTH FLOOR

Women's $2.50 "Comfort" Shoes $

As a special trade feature from ufacturer's Shoe Sale in our ment department we will for day place on sale button and "Comfort" shoes for elderly They have plain toes, low sense heels and are in all sizes. Per pair.....

$7.50 Black Dress Skirts at $5.00.

Black Cheviot Dress Skirts in a large variety of the newest, prettiest styles—all nicely trimmed with Taffeta; are either lined or unlined. Values up to $7.50. For Wednesday only, price..... $5.00

SECOND FLOOR

47c Enameled Berlin Kettle 35c.

Best "Royal" steel enamelware, seamless bottom, tin cover, bail and handle Berlin kettle—medium size; sells regularly at 47c. For Wednesday only, limit one, no mail or telephone orders..... 35c

FOURTH FLOOR

Women's $1.50 Slipp at per Pair $1.23.

An exceptionally fine quality slipper for house wear. Ma one strap and bow; have lo are in all sizes. Priced as facturer's Shoe Sale leader f basement department Wednesday per pair.....

$2.50 Wilton Velvet Rugs $1.50.

A rug special for Wednesday's selling only and no mail or telephone orders. The lot consists of just 300 rugs and include fine Wilton velvets. Smith's Axminsters and a choice line of fringed velvet rugs. All of them in the latest colorings and are 27x54 inch size. Have sold regularly up to $2.50. February Trade Sale leader for the one day..... $1.50

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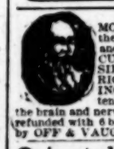

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